MAURICIO DE SOUSA
EDITORA
#23
Monica©
AND FRIENDS
WHERE AM I?
MAURICIO
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HEY, LUCA! YOU'RE HERE!!!
?
HUH?! NOT HERE ANYMORE?!
HEY, JIMMY FIVE!
NOW YOU'RE SUNNY?
?
WHAT IS GOING ON?!
EVERYONE IS APPEARING AND DISAPPEARING!
MAURICIO
I KNOW!
TO FIND OUT WHAT IS GOING ON, JUST COME WITH ME!
HURRY, BEFORE SOMEONE ELSE TAKES THIS COMIC AND IT DISAPPEARS AS WELL!

Monica in
WHERE AM I?
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PENCILS: ALTINO O. LOBO
FINISH: THIAGO MARTINS
HEY!
L-LUCA?
MAURICIO
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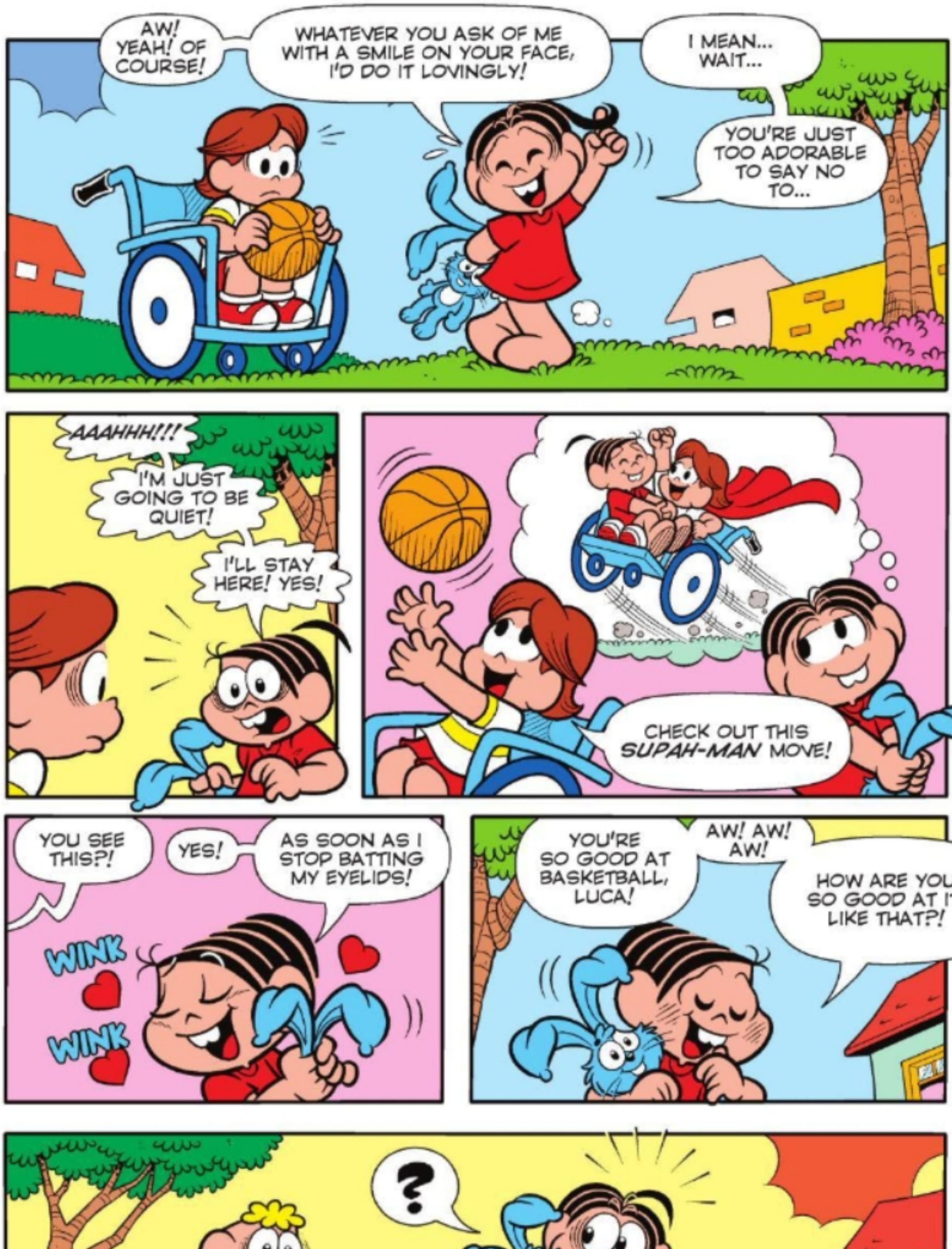
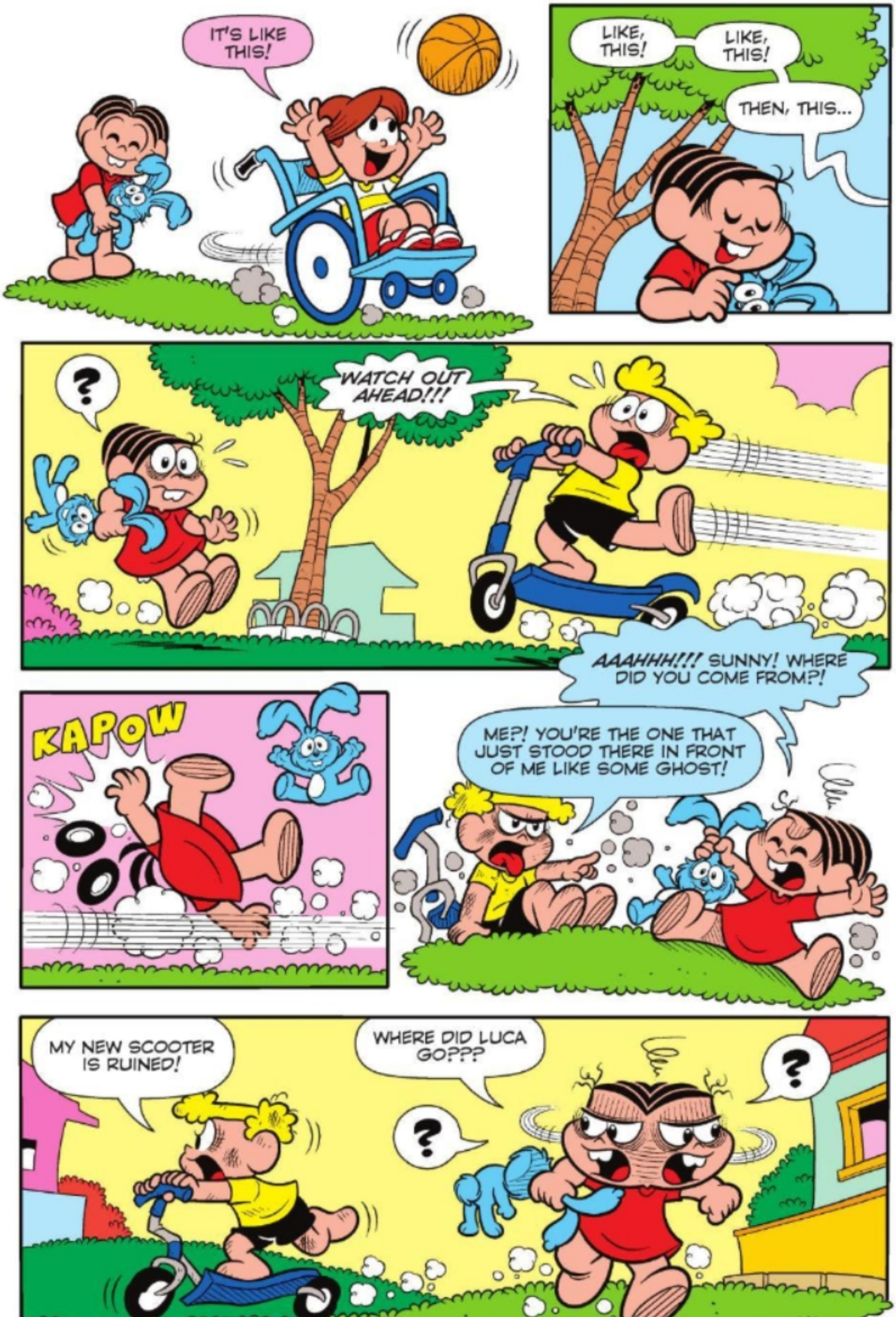
HEY, MONICA! YOU'RE THERE?
I DIDN'T EVEN SEE YOU ARRIVE!
HE, HE, HE!
ME NEITHER!
HE, HE!
I'M JUST PLAYING SOME BAS-KETBALL!
YOU WANT TO WATCH?
ME?


AW! YEAH! OF COURSE!
WHATEVER YOU ASK OF ME WITH A SMILE ON YOUR FACE, I'D DO IT LOVINGLY!
I MEAN... WAIT...
YOU'RE JUST TOO ADORABLE TO SAY NO TO...
AAAHHH!!!
I'M JUST GOING TO BE QUIET!
I'LL STAY HERE! YES!
CHECK OUT THIS SUPAH-MAN MOVE!
YOU SEE THIS?!
YES!
AS SOON AS I STOP BATTING MY EYELIDS!
WINK
WINK
YOU'RE SO GOOD AT BASKETBALL, LUCA!
AW! AW! AW!
HOW ARE YOU SO GOOD AT IT, LIKE THAT?!
?

?
?
HUH?
HUMMER?
HUM?
WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
WHERE IS LUCA?
?
SWOOP
HE SHOULD BE RIGHT HERE!
HUM! HUM!!!
WAS HE DOING A *SUPAH-MAN* THING OR AN INVISIBLE MAN THING?!
?
HUH?! MONICA?
WHERE DID YOU GO?
ME?!
I WAS HERE!
HAHA! DON'T BE SILLY! YOU DISAP-PEARED!
ME?! SILLY? HEHEHE!
WHAT WAS I DOING?!
OH, YEAH, I WAS SHOWING YOU THE *SUPAH-MAN* MOVE!


IT'S LIKE THIS!
LIKE, THIS!
LIKE, THIS!
THEN, THIS...
?
WATCH OUT AHEAD!!!
AAAHHH!!! SUNNY! WHERE DID YOU COME FROM?!
KAPOW
ME?! YOU'RE THE ONE THAT JUST STOOD THERE IN FRONT OF ME LIKE SOME GHOST!
MY NEW SCOOTER IS RUINED!
WHERE DID LUCA GO???
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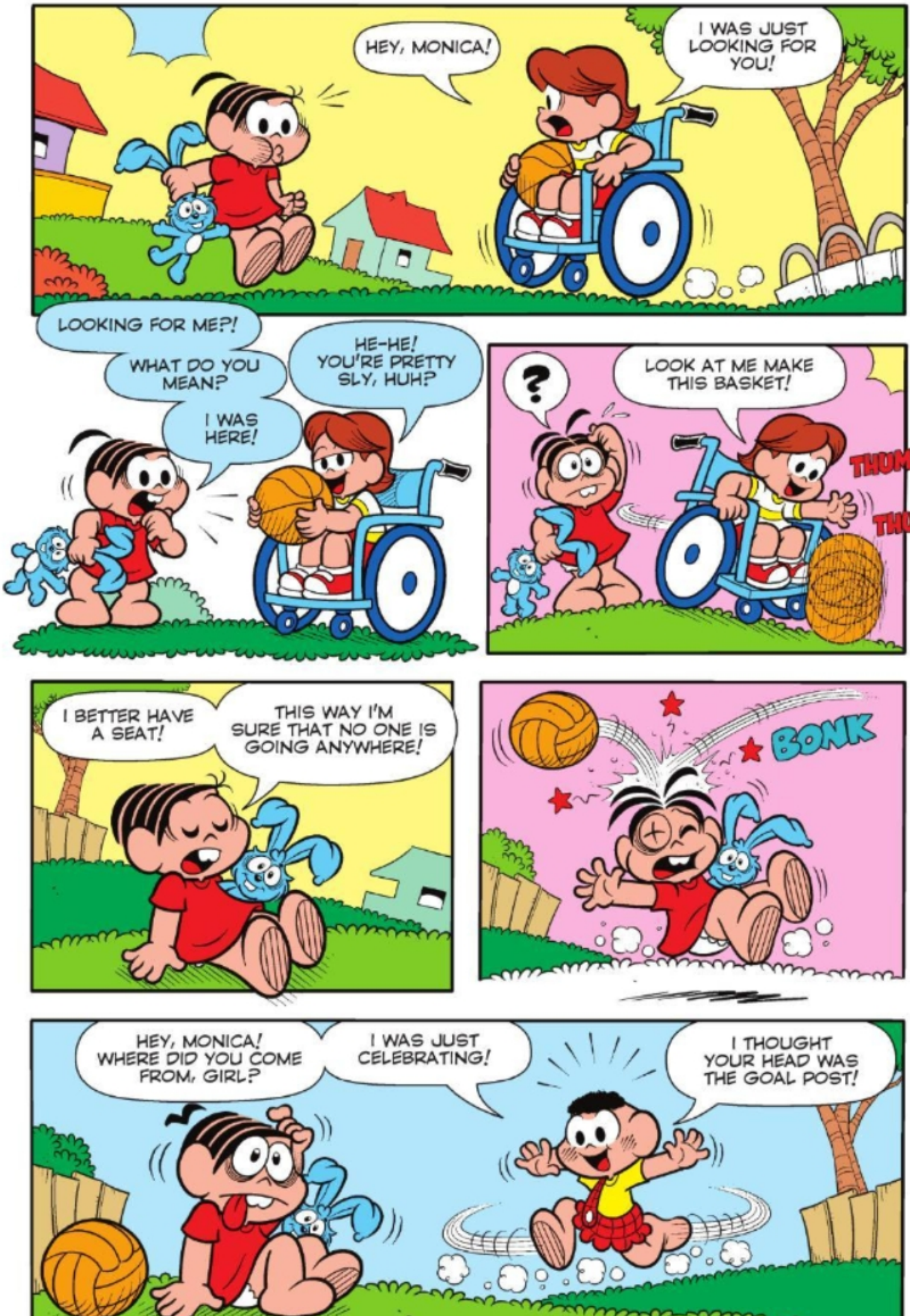

HEY, MONICA!
I WAS JUST LOOKING FOR YOU!
LOOKING FOR ME?!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
I WAS HERE!
HE-HE! YOU'RE PRETTY SLY, HUH?
?
LOOK AT ME MAKE THIS BASKET!
THUMP
THUMP
I BETTER HAVE A SEAT!
THIS WAY I'M SURE THAT NO ONE IS GOING ANYWHERE!
BONK
HEY, MONICA! WHERE DID YOU COME FROM, GIRL?
I WAS JUST CELEBRATING!
I THOUGHT YOUR HEAD WAS THE GOAL POST!

AHHH! I OUGHTTA...
I'M NOT A GOAL POST!
YOU BETTER GET OUT OF HERE BEFORE I SHOW YOU A CARD OF ALL COLORS!!!
GRRR!!!
?
MONICA...
WHAT?!
AAHHH!!! IT'S LUCA!
SORRY!
I THOUGHT IT WAS... ANYONE ELSE... NOT YOU...
MONICA! WHAT IS GOING ON?!
YOU'RE HERE...
...THEN ANOTHER SEC-OND YOU'RE NOT HERE ANYMORE!
ME?!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN, ME?!
?
!
THERE MUST BE SOMETHING WRONG, LUCA!
I HAVEN'T MOVED A MUSCLE!
IF I'M NOT THE ONE MOVING, THEN THAT MEANS THAT THE ONE LEAVING IS...

...YOU...
?
HEY! I DIDN'T KNOW I KNEW HOW TO DO THE APPEARING ACT SO WELL!
DO YOU HAVE THE SAME POWERS AS A CERTAIN BOY WIZARD?
AAAH!!!
YOU'RE ABOUT TO SEE WHO IS GOING TO DISAPPEAR!
HEY, MONICA! C'MON, TELL ME SOME-THING...
WHY DO YOU KEEP DISAPPEARING ALL THE TIME?!
BUT... YOU'RE THE ONE THAT KEEPS...
...DISAPPEA-RING!
?
?
?

AAAH!!!
NOW, I'M IN FRANKLIN'S LABORATORY?!
I MUST BE GOING INSANE!
CALM DOWN, MONICA!
I KNOW EXACTLY WHAT IS GOING ON!
IT'S THAT I'VE CREATED A NEW MACHINE!
THE TELE-TRANSPORTER MODEL ECONOMY PLUS!
WHAT'S THAT HAVE TO DO WITH ME?
I WAS OVER AT THE BASKETBALL COURT!
A-HA! THAT'S EXACTLY THE THING, MY FRIEND!
FOR THE TELE-TRANSPORTER TO WORK, HE NEEDS ANTENNAS!
A SIGNAL BOOSTER, IF YOU WILL...
?
...AND A RECEPTOR!

SAMSON?
WHAT SAMSON HAS TO DO WITH THIS?!
IT'S JUST THAT MY INVENTION ISN'T *COMPLETELY* FINISHED!
SAMSON'S EARS ARE THE THINGS THAT MOST LOOK LIKE THE ANTENNAS!
THAT'S WHY IT'S PICKING UP THE SIGNAL OF THE TELE-TRANSPORTER!
THEN... *PUFF!*
YOU KEEP APPEARING AND DISAPPEARING IN DIFFERENT PLACES!
AHHH!!!
SO, YOU'RE THE ONE TO BLAME FOR THIS CRAZINESS OF THE DAY!
WELL... I MEAN... NOT EXACTLY! IT'S THE INVENTION!
LEAVE IT TO ME!
TO MAKE SURE THERE IS NO MORE PROBLEM WITH SAMSON, I'M GOING TO CHANGE THE SHAPE OF THE ANTENNA!
HM...

THE THING IS I'VE GOT TO CLEAN UP THE MESS NOW!
I COULD HAVE SPENT THE ENTIRE TIME TODAY HANGING OUT WITH...
FRANKLIN'S LABORATORY
...LUCA!
HEY, MONICA!
YOU'RE FINALLY HERE!
I THOUGHT YOU DISAP-PEARED FOR GOOD!
AW, LUCA, I'LL EXPLAIN IT TO YOU SOME OTHER TIME! HE-HE!
IT'S JUST THAT...
?
THOING
?
UM, FRANKLIN!
I THINK YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO CHANGE THAT ANTENNA DESIGN AGAIN!
END OF THE 1ST PART

2ND PART

I WAS HERE!

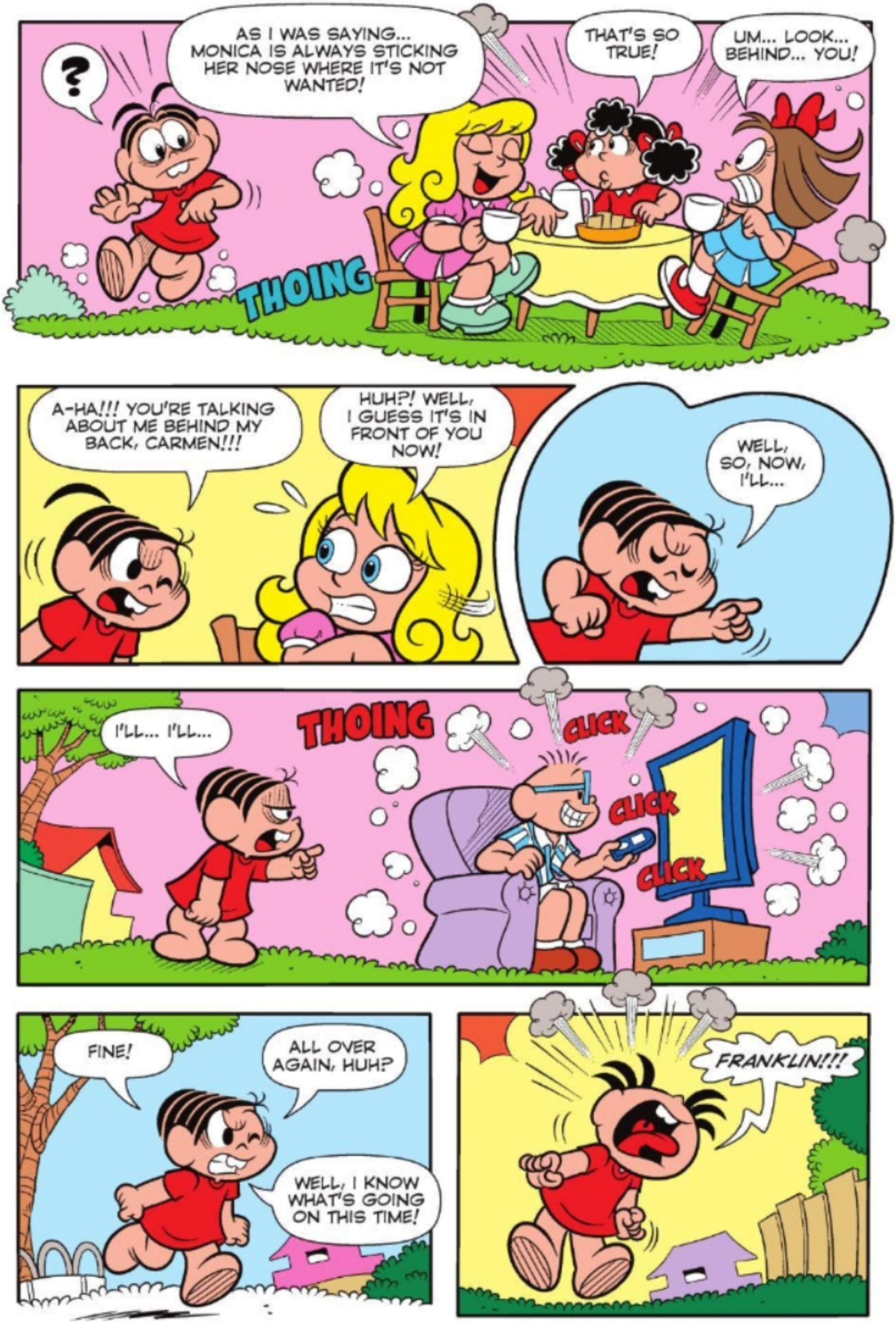
IT'S YELLING BANANA SPLIT!
I'VE GOT TO OBEY!
OH, IT'S *LIKE* THAT?!
MY STOMACH, BLAH!
POOR ME, LADDY LADDY LA!
MY HUNGER, BLAH, BLAH!
YOU ALWAYS JUST LEAVE ME TALKING TO MYSELF!
AND, THEN...
?
AAAHHH!!! IT HAPPENED AGAIN!
BLU JUST APPEARED IN MAGGY'S PLACE!
?
HUH? ARE YOU TALKING TO ME?
?
?

WHAT?! ARE YOU TRYING TO GIVE ME A HEART ATTACK?!
I JUST TOLD YOU THAT I WANTED TO GET BANANA SPLIT! CHOMP! CHOMP!
OKAY, FINE! FOLLOW ME!
AS I WAS SAYING...
?
AAAAHHH!!!
?
WHERE IS THE BANANA SPLIT???
LADY, ARE YOU LOSING YOUR MIND?!
I ATE IT A WHILE AGO!
A WHILE AGO?!
YOU HAD THE BANANA SPLIT AT THE BEGINNING OF THIS PAGE!
FOR ME AND FOOD, THAT IS A WHILE AGO!
I THINK I'M TRAUMATIZED AF-TER EVERYTHING THAT HAPPENED!

NOW, I'M JUST SCARED THAT EV-ERYTHING IS GOING TO DISAPPEAR AT ANY MOMENT!
OR APPEAR!
OR IS IT ME THAT'S GOING TO DO BOTH?!
I'M JUST GLAD THAT THIS IS JUST SOMETHING TO DO WITH FRANKLIN'S INVENTION, SO...
HEY?!
WHERE IS MAGGY???
I BET SHE'S GONE TO GO EAT SOME-THING!
SHE REALLY DOES JUST LEAVE ME TALKING TO MYSELF!
IT'S GOOD THAT...
HE-HE-HE!
?
MONICA IS OUT AND ABOUT MAKING A FUSS AND A SCENE YET ANOTHER TIME HERE IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD!
THAT'S GOING STRAIGHT TO MY NEIGHBORHOOD BLOG!
?
?
?

WOO-HOO!!!
I JUST POSTED THAT AND THERE ARE ALREADY A THOUSAND LIKES!
AHHH!!! DENISE?!
SPEAKING OF WHICH... WHERE DID YOU COME FROM?
I HAVE NO IDEA... WHEN I LOOKED UP I WAS AROUND HERE!
HAHA! WHEN SOMETHING THIS JUICY HAPPENS, IT'S LIKE I APPEAR OUT OF NOWHERE!
YEAH!
SOON ENOUGH IT'LL BE JIMMY FIVE APPEARING OUT OF NO-WHERE CLAIMING HE'S THE RULER AROUND HERE AND...
?
?
JIMMY FIVE?!
THIS IS NOT GOOD!

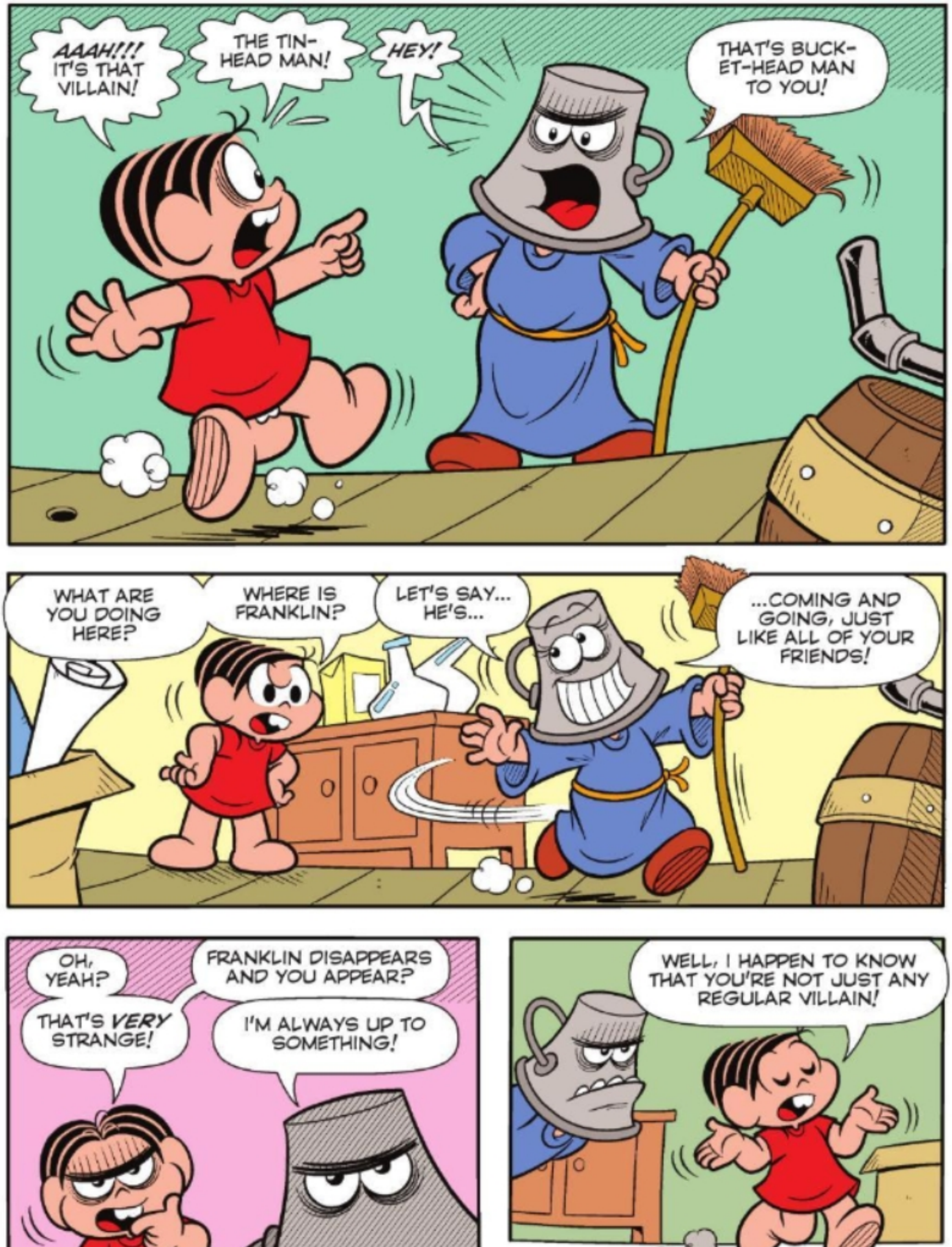
JIMMY FIVE! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
ME?! NOTHING!
THIS INFALLI-BLE PLAN ISN'T MINE! IT'S NOT MINE AT ALL!
ACTUALLY... THIS IS... A TWEASURE MAP!
GO TO THE BUCK-TOOTHED ONE AND MAKE A TURN AT THE PLUSH WAB-BIT...
OH, YEAH?! I GOT IT! I'LL SHOW YOU...
THOING
POP
HMMM!!!
THAT'S WHAT I'M SAYING!
WHERE DID HUMMER COME FROM?
I DON'T KNOW AND I DON'T WANT TO LOOK!

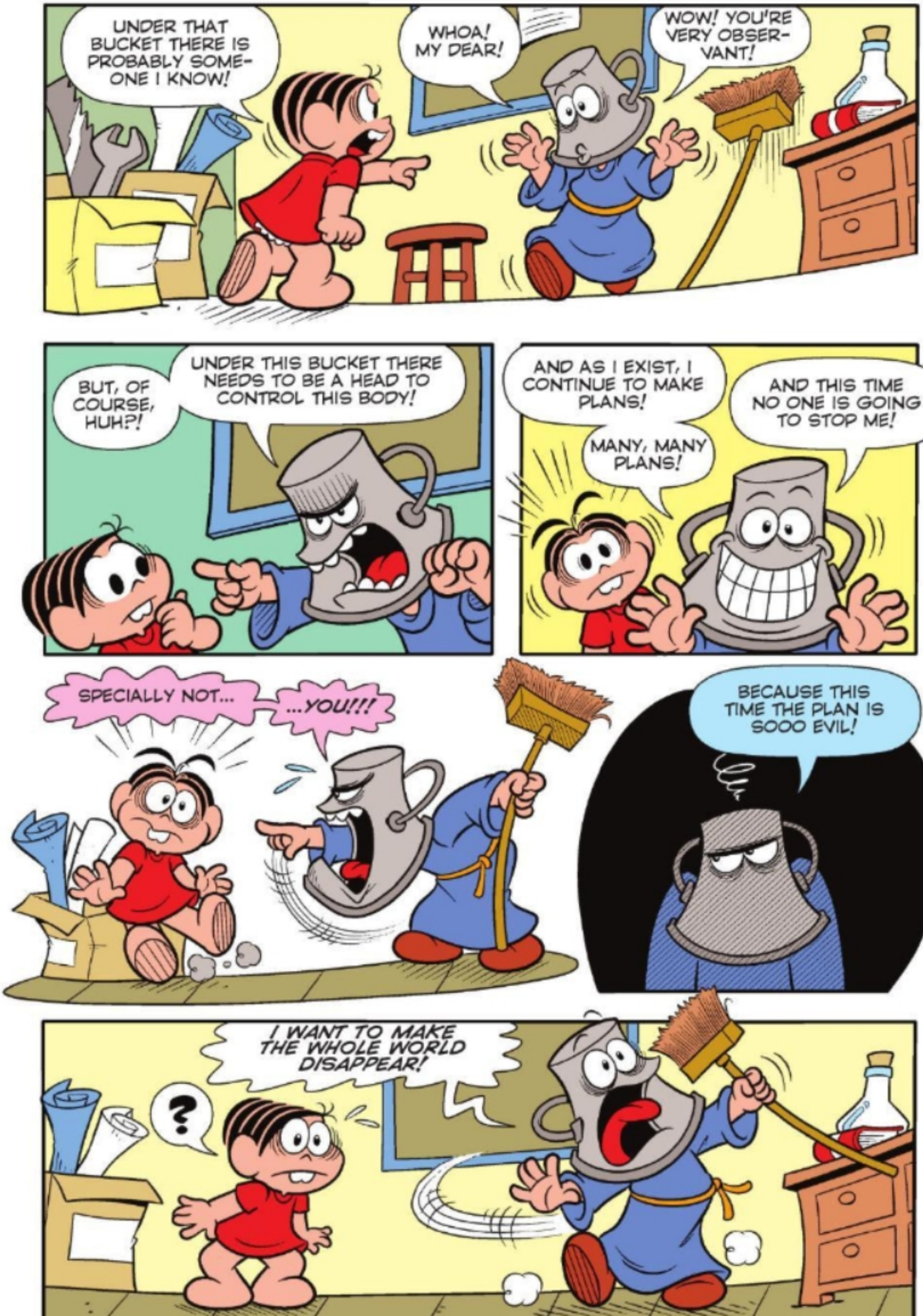

?
AS I WAS SAYING... MONICA IS ALWAYS STICKING HER NOSE WHERE IT'S NOT WANTED!
THAT'S SO TRUE!
UM... LOOK... BEHIND... YOU!
THOING
A-HA!!! YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT ME BEHIND MY BACK, CARMEN!!!
HUH?! WELL, I GUESS IT'S IN FRONT OF YOU NOW!
WELL, SO, NOW, I'LL...
I'LL... I'LL...
THOING
CLICK
CLICK
CLICK
FINE!
ALL OVER AGAIN, HUH?
WELL, I KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON THIS TIME!
FRANKLIN!!!

I BET HE'S MESSING AROUND WITH THAT INVENTION OF HIS!
WHAT WAS THE NAME OF THAT THING?
ARGH! WHO CARES?!
FRANKLIN!
HELLO?
IT'S ME!
I'M HERE!
I DIDN'T EVEN NEED THE LITTLE MACHINE TO GET HERE!
BLAM
?
HUH? WHERE'S HE?
NOW, *HE'S* THE ONE THAT'S DISAP-PEARED!
THERE'S NO ONE HERE!
JUST THIS...
END OF THE 2ND PART

3RD PART

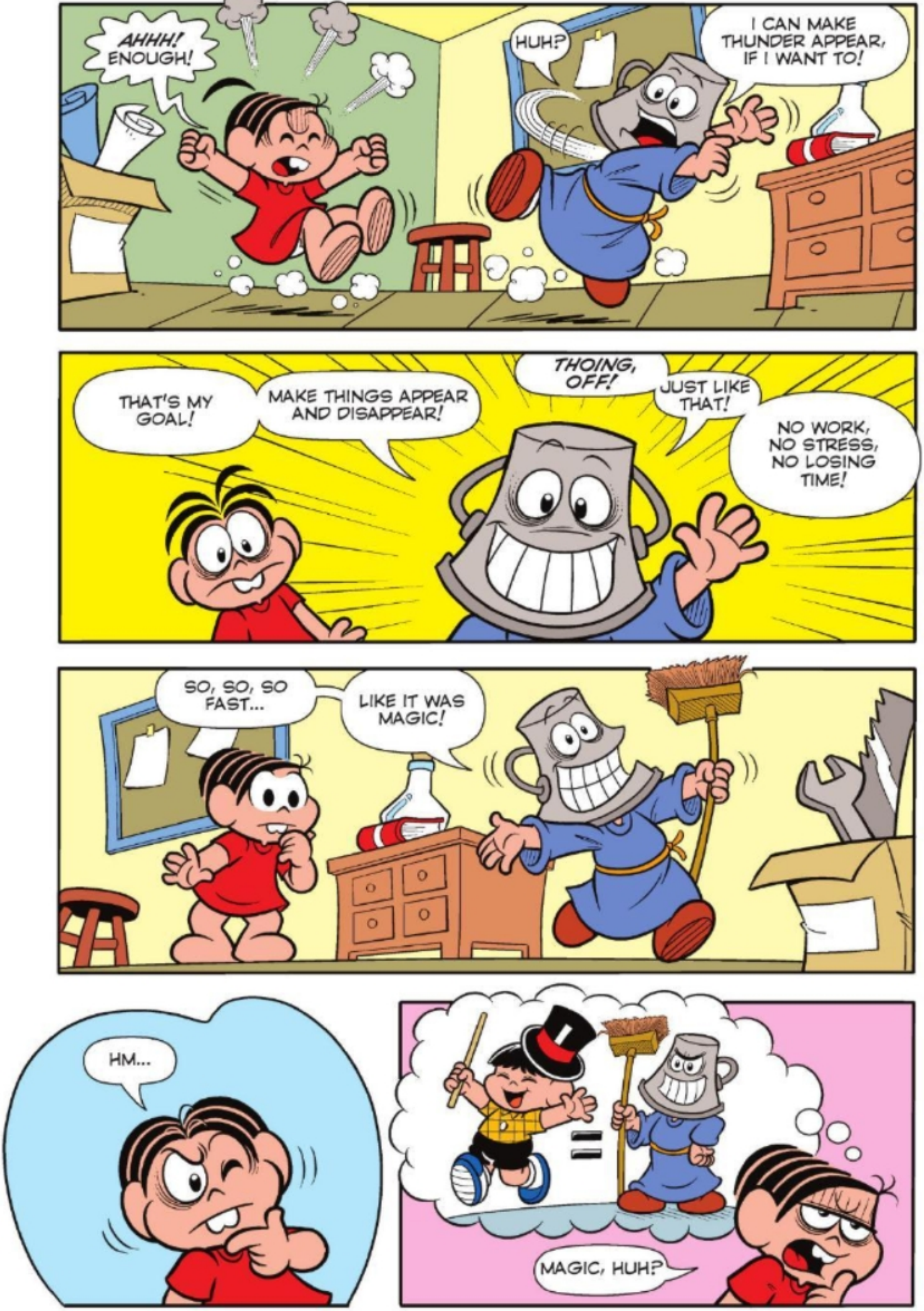
WHERE IS THE BUCKET?

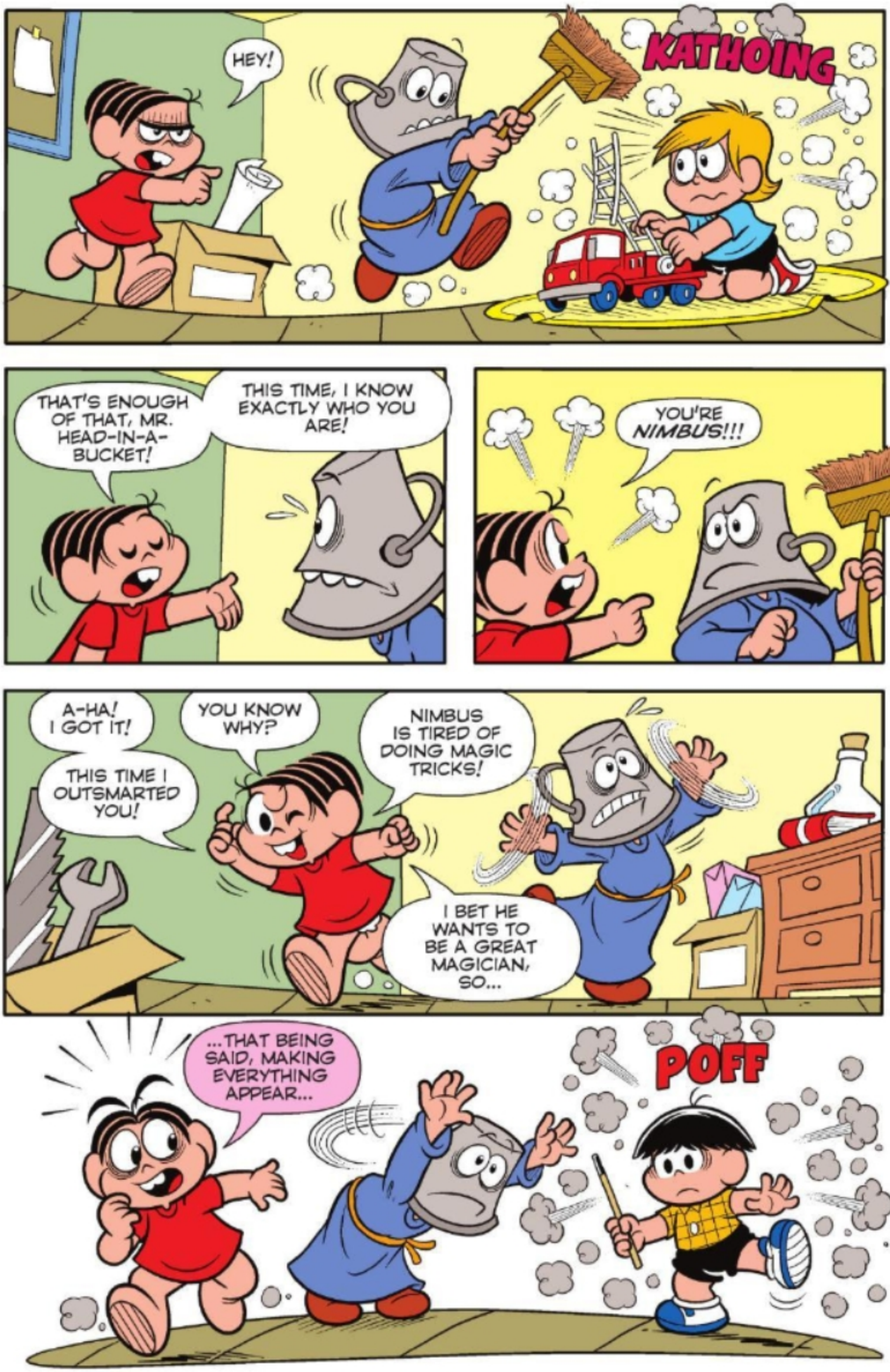


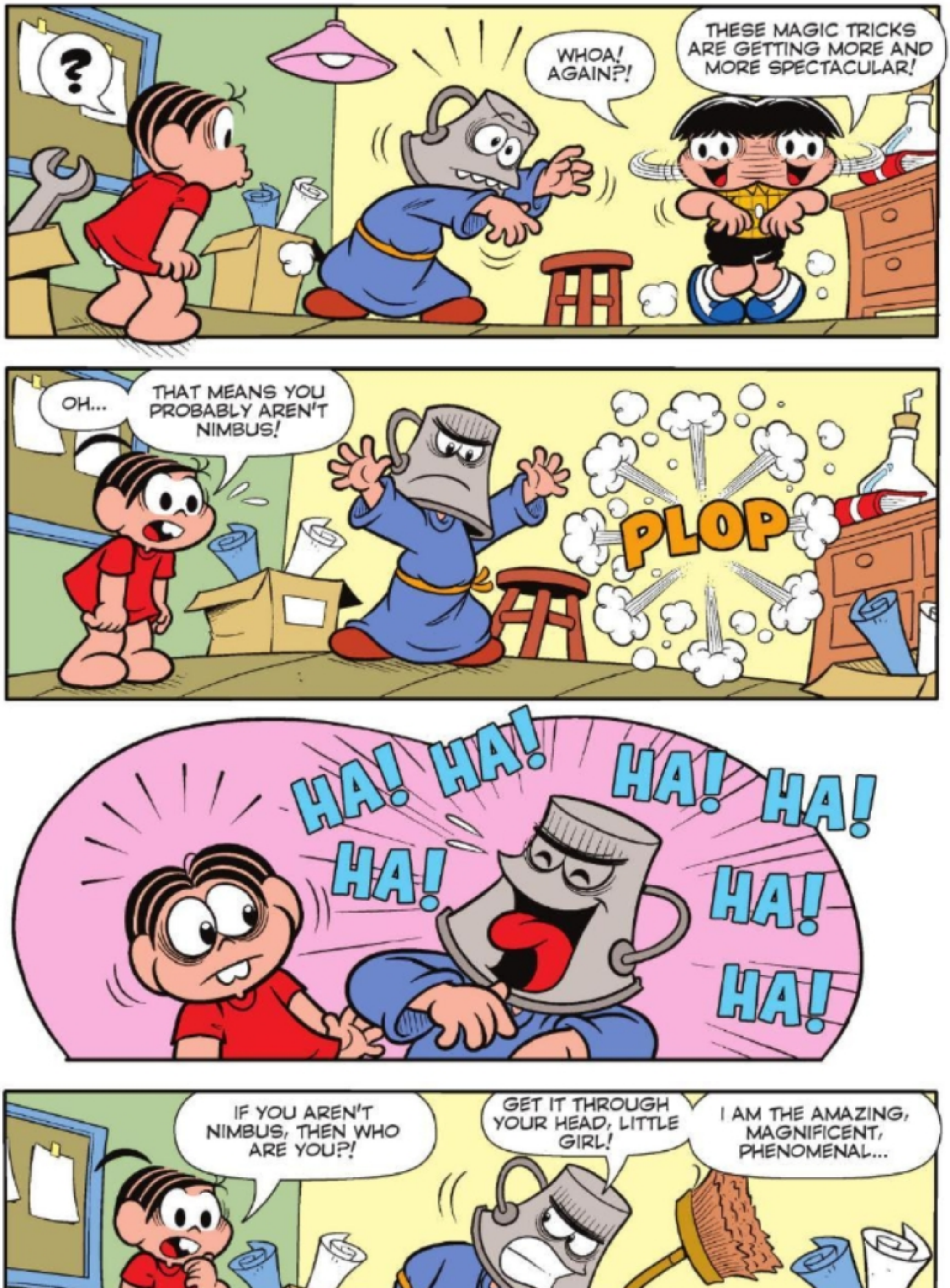

UNDER THAT BUCKET THERE IS PROBABLY SOME-ONE I KNOW!
WHOA! MY DEAR!
WOW! YOU'RE VERY OBSER-VANT!
BUT, OF COURSE, HUH?!
UNDER THIS BUCKET THERE NEEDS TO BE A HEAD TO CONTROL THIS BODY!
AND AS I EXIST, I CONTINUE TO MAKE PLANS!
MANY, MANY PLANS!
AND THIS TIME NO ONE IS GOING TO STOP ME!
SPECIALLY NOT...
...YOU!!!
BECAUSE THIS TIME THE PLAN IS SOOO EVIL!
I WANT TO MAKE THE WHOLE WORLD DISAPPEAR!
?

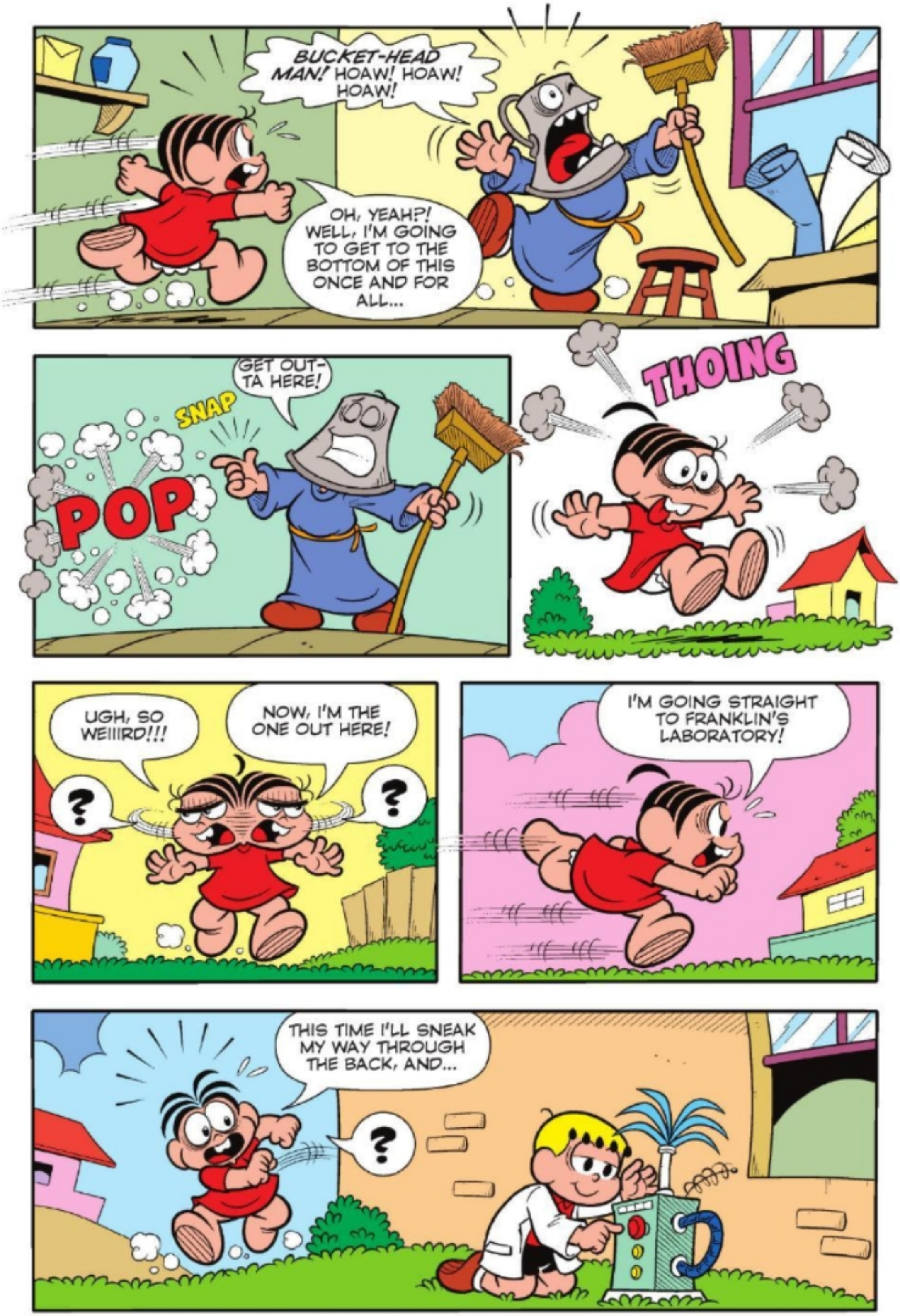
PUFF
AND REAPPEAR!!!
HA-HA-HA-HA-HA!!!
THOING
HEY!!! HOW DID YOU DO THAT?!
THAT'S A PROFESSIONAL SECRET!
I'M EPIC!
SO, YOU'RE GOING TO MAKE EVERYONE DISAPPEAR AND APPEAR?
C'MON!
WHAT KIND OF CRAZY PLAN IS THAT?
BLAAAH!
WHY WOULDN'T YOU WANT TO TAKE OVER THE WORLD OR SOMETHING?
BLAAAH!

I JUST WANT TO MAKE EVERYTHING APPEAR!
THOING
?
AND BE FAST!
?
THOING
THE FASTEST EVER!
THOING
?
SUPER FAST!
POFF


AHHH! ENOUGH!
HUH?
I CAN MAKE THUNDER APPEAR, IF I WANT TO!
THAT'S MY GOAL!
MAKE THINGS APPEAR AND DISAPPEAR!
THOING, OFF!
JUST LIKE THAT!
NO WORK, NO STRESS, NO LOSING TIME!
SO, SO, SO FAST...
LIKE IT WAS MAGIC!
HM...
MAGIC, HUH?


HEY!
KATHOING
THAT'S ENOUGH OF THAT, MR. HEAD-IN-A-BUCKET!
THIS TIME, I KNOW EXACTLY WHO YOU ARE!
YOU'RE NIMBUS!!!
A-HA! I GOT IT!
THIS TIME I OUTSMARTED YOU!
YOU KNOW WHY?
NIMBUS IS TIRED OF DOING MAGIC TRICKS!
I BET HE WANTS TO BE A GREAT MAGICIAN, SO...
...THAT BEING SAID, MAKING EVERYTHING APPEAR...
POFF


?
WHOA! AGAIN?!
THESE MAGIC TRICKS ARE GETTING MORE AND MORE SPECTACULAR!
OH...
THAT MEANS YOU PROBABLY AREN'T NIMBUS!
PLOP
HA! HA! HA! HA! HA! HA! HA!
IF YOU AREN'T NIMBUS, THEN WHO ARE YOU?!
GET IT THROUGH YOUR HEAD, LITTLE GIRL!
I AM THE AMAZING, MAGNIFICENT, PHENOMENAL...

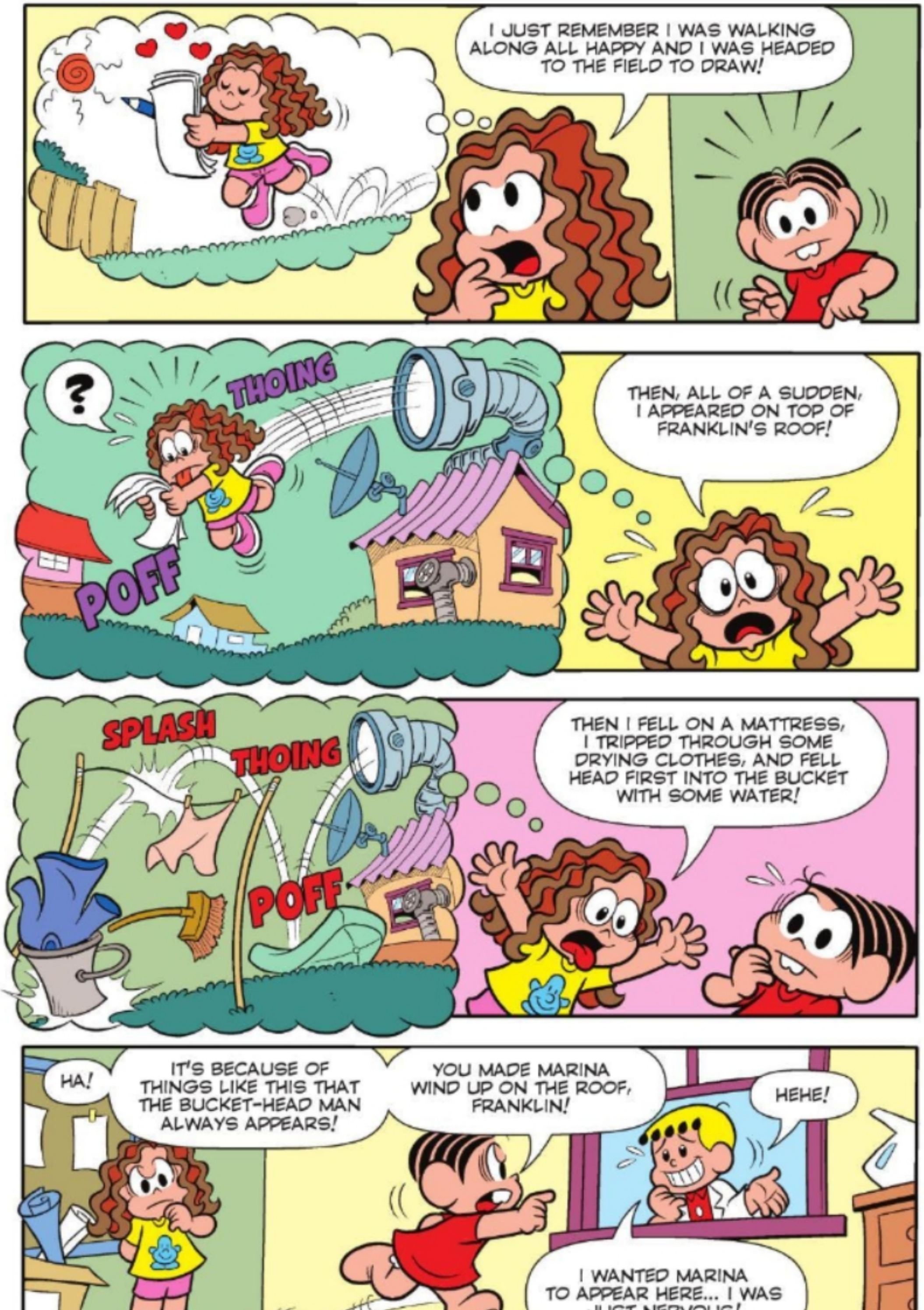

BUCKET-HEAD MAN! HOAW! HOAW! HOAW!
OH, YEAH?! WELL, I'M GOING TO GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS ONCE AND FOR ALL...
SNAP
GET OUT-TA HERE!
POP
THOING
UGH, SO WEIIIRD!!!
NOW, I'M THE ONE OUT HERE!
?
?
I'M GOING STRAIGHT TO FRANKLIN'S LABORATORY!
THIS TIME I'LL SNEAK MY WAY THROUGH THE BACK, AND...
?

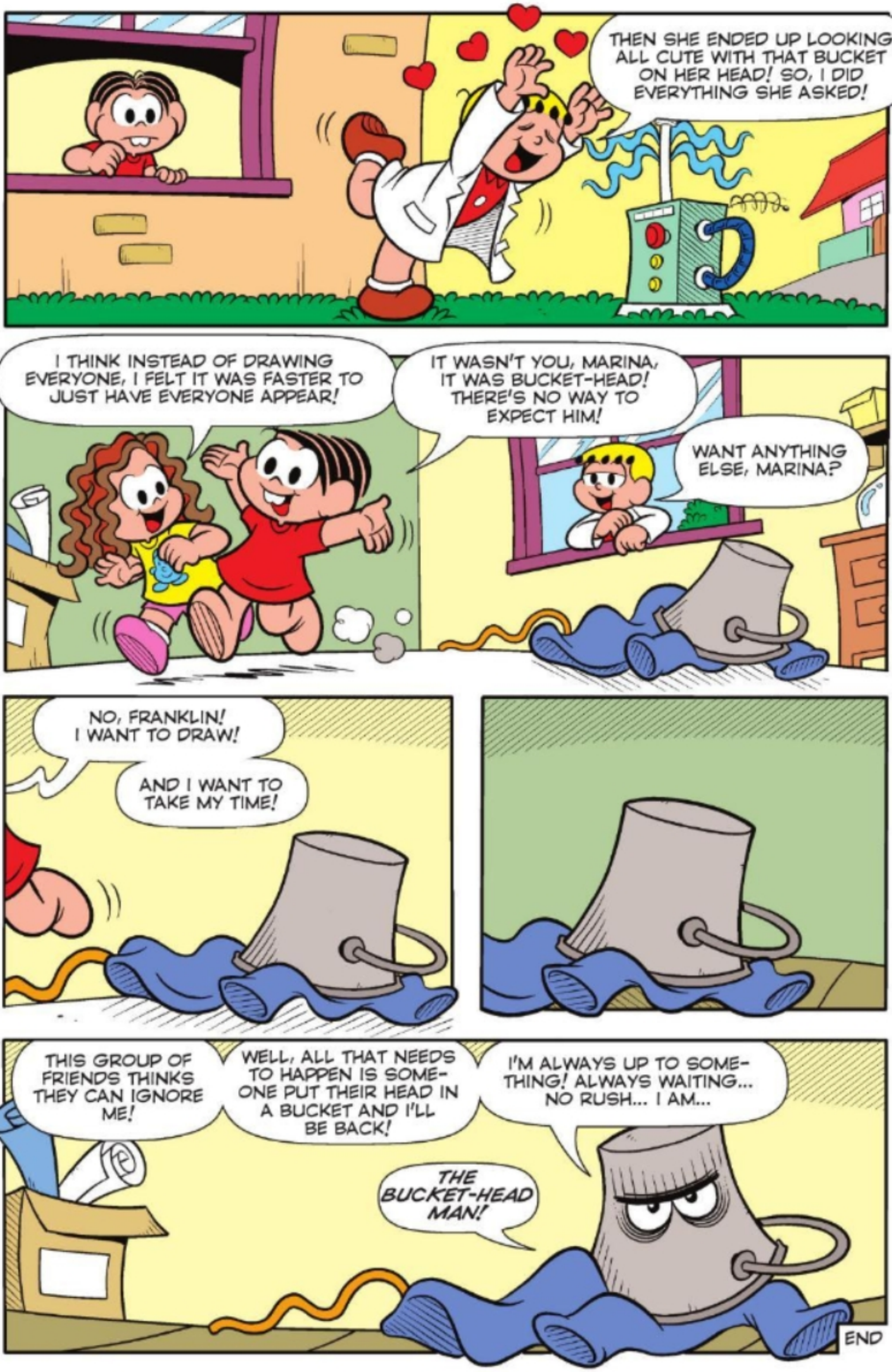
FRANKLIN?!
WHAT?!
HUH?
HI!
OH, MONICA! I WAS SO DISTRACTED MESSING WITH THIS ANTENNA THAT I DIDN'T EVEN SEE YOU!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
?
PSSST! MAKE JEREMIAH APPEAR NOW!
YES! YES!
?
I DO EV-ERYTHING!
THOING
AAHHH! WHERE AM I?
PSSST! NOW MAKE BLOGGY APPEAR!
YOU GOT IT!
WHERE AM I?
THOING

HUH?
I THINK I'M UNDERSTAND-ING WHAT'S GOING ON!
YES, THIS IS WHERE I MAKE MY MOVE!
TA, DA, DA!
NOW, I'M GOING TO MAKE NICO DEMON AND THUN-DER APPEAR!
THOING
BLAM
HEY, BUCK-TOOTH! YOU'RE NOT THE ONE I CALLED HERE!
I CAME HERE BECAUSE I WANTED TO!
HUH?!
I DON'T EVEN CARE THAT YOU'RE HERE!
WELL, I'M HERE FOR ANOTHER REASON!

?
I'M GOING TO DRAW!
I BROUGHT PAPER AND COLORED PENCILS!
LA, LA, LA!
I'M GOING TO DRAW A HOUSE!
SCRIBBLE SCRIBBLE
NOW, A LAKE WITH SOME DUCKS SWIMMING ATOP IT!
?
?
AN UNICORN!
A RAINBOW!
SOME TREES RIGHT HERE, MADE OUT OF COTTON CANDY!
SCRIBBLE
SCRIBBLE
SCRIBBLE
LET ME SEE THAT!!!
AHHH! THAT'S HOR-RIBLE!
IT'S ALL WRONG!
IT'S ALL OUT OF PROPOR-TION! THE COLORS ARE WRONG! THE LINES ARE ALL MESSED UP!

AHHH!!! NO WAY! THAT'S ALL I NEED!
THUMP
THUMP
I CAN'T CONTROL MYSELF!
I JUST NEED TO... I NEED TO...
...DRAW!!!
MARINA!!!
FOR FRANKLIN TO DO EVERYTHING YOU WANTED, I KNEW THE BUCKET-HEAD "MAN" HAD TO BE YOU!
ANYTHING ELSE, MARINA?
HUH?! HUH???
WHAT AM I DOING HERE?! I CAN'T REMEMBER ANY-THING!!!
MARINA! YOU'RE BACK TO NORMAL!
THE BUCKET-HEAD IS GONE!!!
BUCKET WHAT?


I JUST REMEMBER I WAS WALKING ALONG ALL HAPPY AND I WAS HEADED TO THE FIELD TO DRAW!
?
THOING
POFF
THEN, ALL OF A SUDDEN, I APPEARED ON TOP OF FRANKLIN'S ROOF!
SPLASH
THOING
POFF
THEN I FELL ON A MATTRESS, I TRIPPED THROUGH SOME DRYING CLOTHES, AND FELL HEAD FIRST INTO THE BUCKET WITH SOME WATER!
HA!
IT'S BECAUSE OF THINGS LIKE THIS THAT THE BUCKET-HEAD MAN ALWAYS APPEARS!
YOU MADE MARINA WIND UP ON THE ROOF, FRANKLIN!
HEHE!
I WANTED MARINA TO APPEAR HERE... I WAS JUST NERVOUS!


THEN SHE ENDED UP LOOKING ALL CUTE WITH THAT BUCKET ON HER HEAD! SO, I DID EVERYTHING SHE ASKED!
I THINK INSTEAD OF DRAWING EVERYONE, I FELT IT WAS FASTER TO JUST HAVE EVERYONE APPEAR!
IT WASN'T YOU, MARINA, IT WAS BUCKET-HEAD! THERE'S NO WAY TO EXPECT HIM!
WANT ANYTHING ELSE, MARINA?
NO, FRANKLIN! I WANT TO DRAW!
AND I WANT TO TAKE MY TIME!
THIS GROUP OF FRIENDS THINKS THEY CAN IGNORE ME!
WELL, ALL THAT NEEDS TO HAPPEN IS SOME-ONE PUT THEIR HEAD IN A BUCKET AND I'LL BE BACK!
I'M ALWAYS UP TO SOME-THING! ALWAYS WAITING... NO RUSH... I AM...
THE BUCKET-HEAD MAN!
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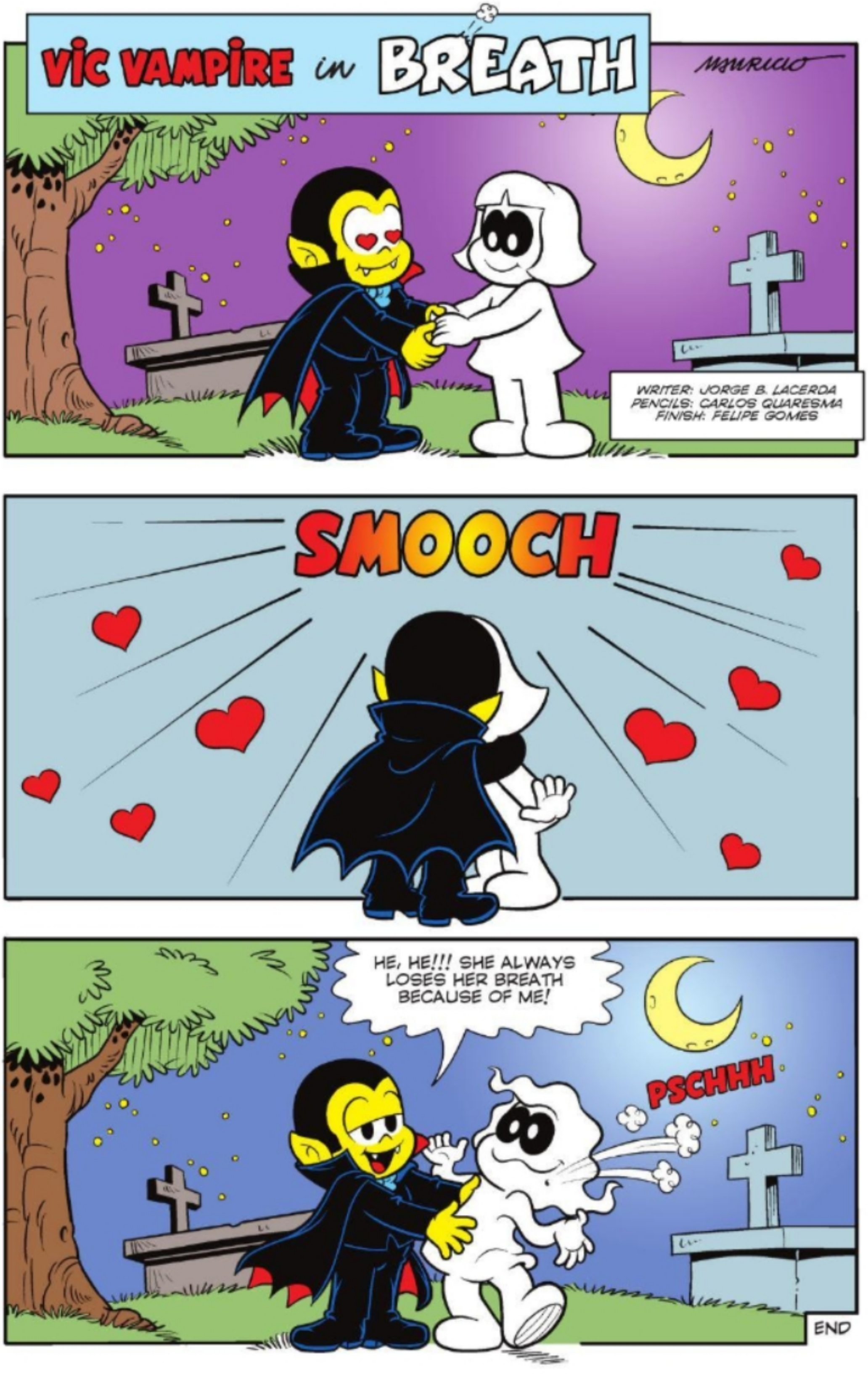
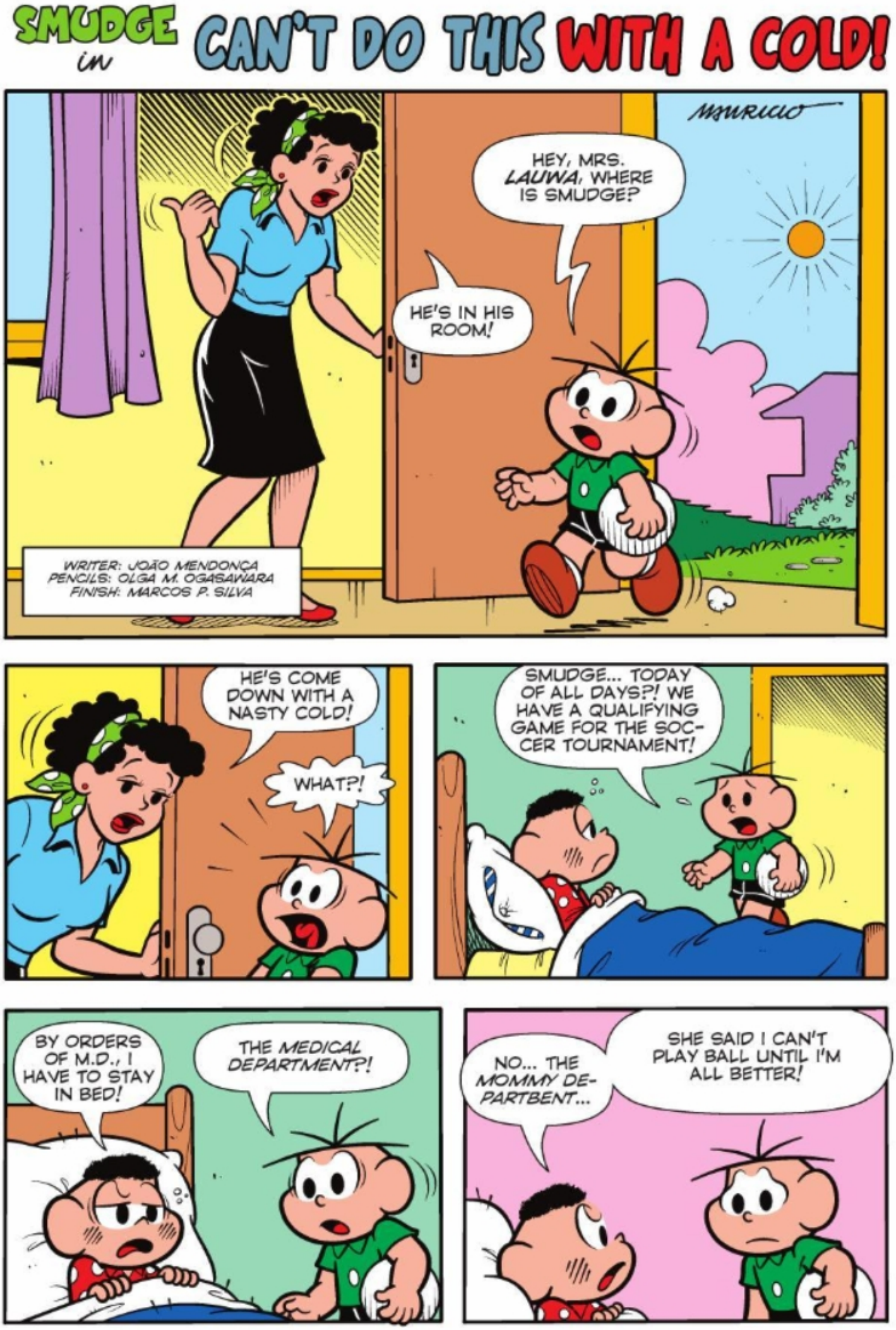
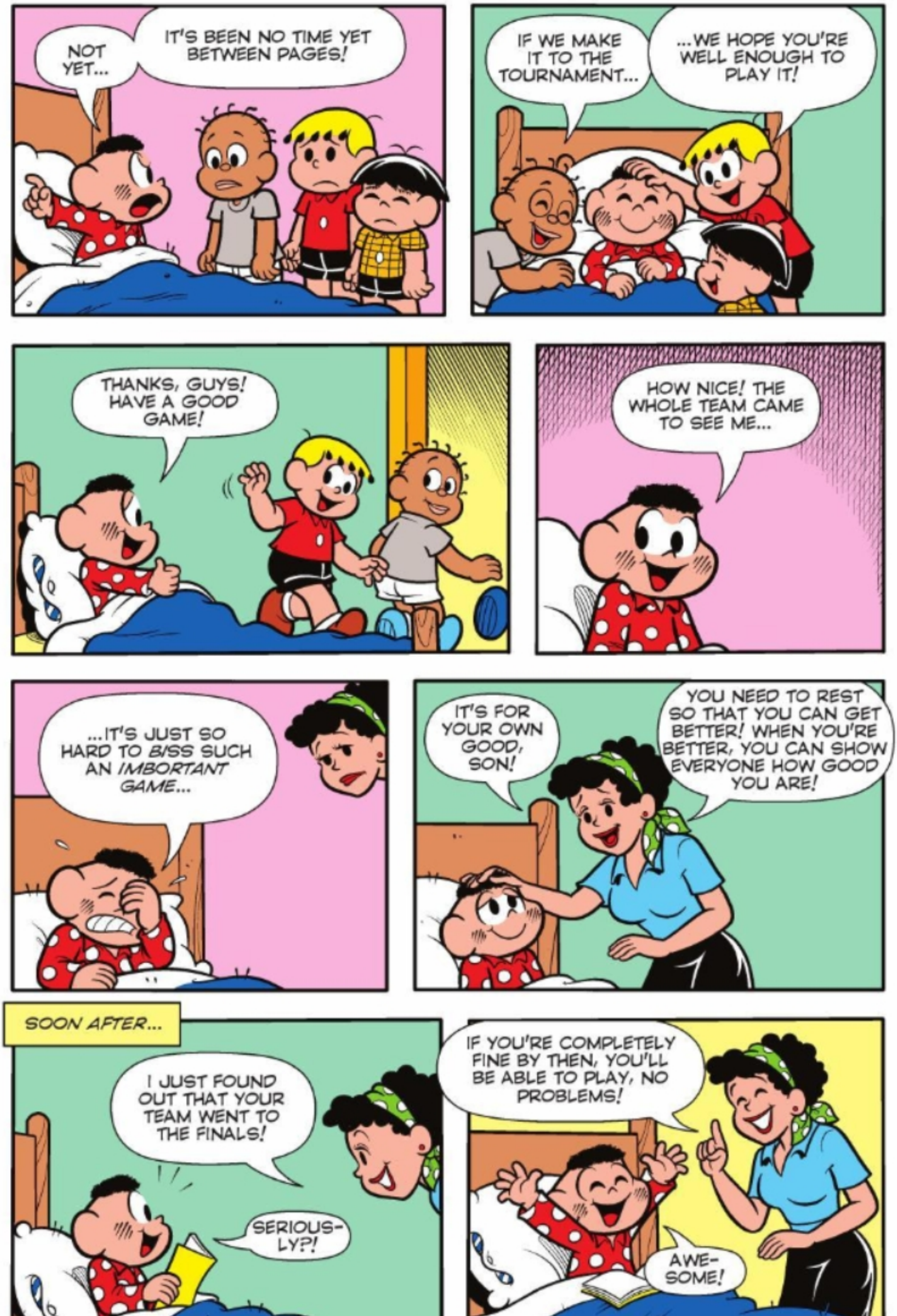

VIC VAMPIRE in BREATH
MAURICIO
WRITER: JORGE B. LACERDA
PENCILS: CARLOS QUARESMA
FINISH: FELIPE GOMES
SMOOCH
HE, HE!!! SHE ALWAYS LOSES HER BREATH BECAUSE OF ME!
PSCHHH
END


SMUDGE in CAN'T DO THIS WITH A COLD!
MAURICIO
HEY, MRS. LAUWA, WHERE IS SMUDGE?
HE'S IN HIS ROOM!
WRITER: JOÃO MENDONÇA
PENCILS: OLGA M. OGASAWARA
FINISH: MARCOS P. SILVA
HE'S COME DOWN WITH A NASTY COLD!
WHAT?!
SMUDGE... TODAY OF ALL DAYS?! WE HAVE A QUALIFYING GAME FOR THE SOCCER TOURNAMENT!
BY ORDERS OF M.D., I HAVE TO STAY IN BED!
THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT?!
NO... THE MOMMY DEPARTBENT...
SHE SAID I CAN'T PLAY BALL UNTIL I'M ALL BETTER!

GET WELL SOON! WE'LL *TWY* OUR BEST TO WIN THE GAME!
I CAN'T BELIEVE IT! IT'S TRUE?!
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO PLAY TODAY?
DEBENDS ON WHAT YOU'RE SAYING!
I THINK I COULD PLAY...
I KNEW IT, BUDDY!!! LET'S DO IT!
...IT'S JUST THAT *BY* MOM DOESN'T THINK SO!
HOPE YOU GET BETTER!
WE'LL TRY OUR BEST OUT THERE FOR YOU!
HEY?! YOU BETTER?!

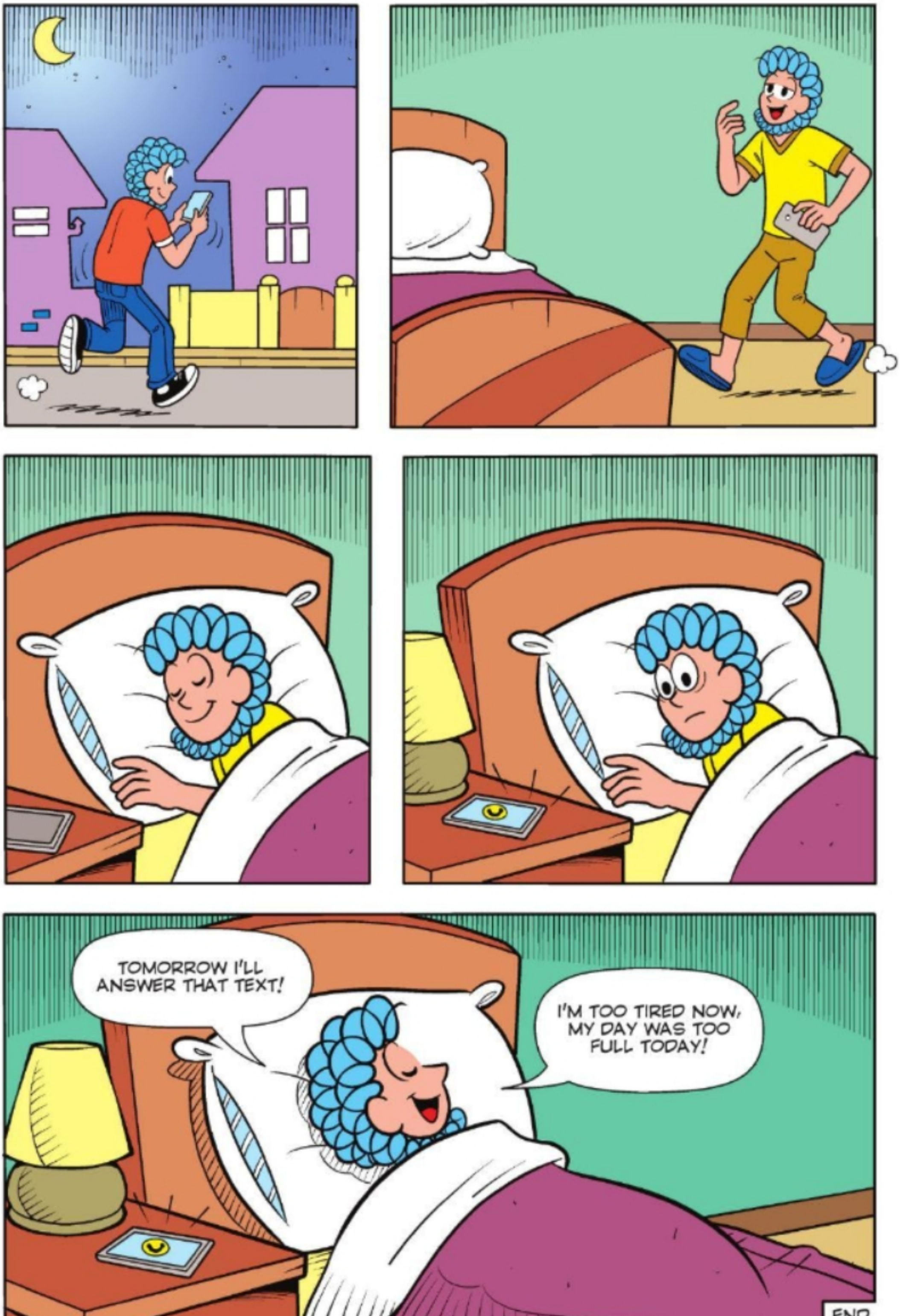

NOT YET...
IT'S BEEN NO TIME YET BETWEEN PAGES!
IF WE MAKE IT TO THE TOURNAMENT...
...WE HOPE YOU'RE WELL ENOUGH TO PLAY IT!
THANKS, GUYS! HAVE A GOOD GAME!
HOW NICE! THE WHOLE TEAM CAME TO SEE ME...
...IT'S JUST SO HARD TO *BISS* SUCH AN *IMBORTANT* GAME...
IT'S FOR YOUR OWN GOOD, SON!
YOU NEED TO REST SO THAT YOU CAN GET BETTER! WHEN YOU'RE BETTER, YOU CAN SHOW EVERYONE HOW GOOD YOU ARE!
SOON AFTER...
I JUST FOUND OUT THAT YOUR TEAM WENT TO THE FINALS!
SERIOUS-LY?!
IF YOU'RE COMPLETELY FINE BY THEN, YOU'LL BE ABLE TO PLAY, NO PROBLEMS!
AWE-SOME!

ON THE BIG DAY...
WHAT'S WITH THAT FACE, SMUDGE?
WHERE IS YOUR TEAM?
I'M REALLY SORRY, BUT THEY WON'T BE ABLE TO MAKE IT!
WHAT?! ARE YOU KIDDING?
MAY I ASK YOU WHY NOT?!
THEY ALL GOT SICK!!!
END

CURLY ON THE PHONE

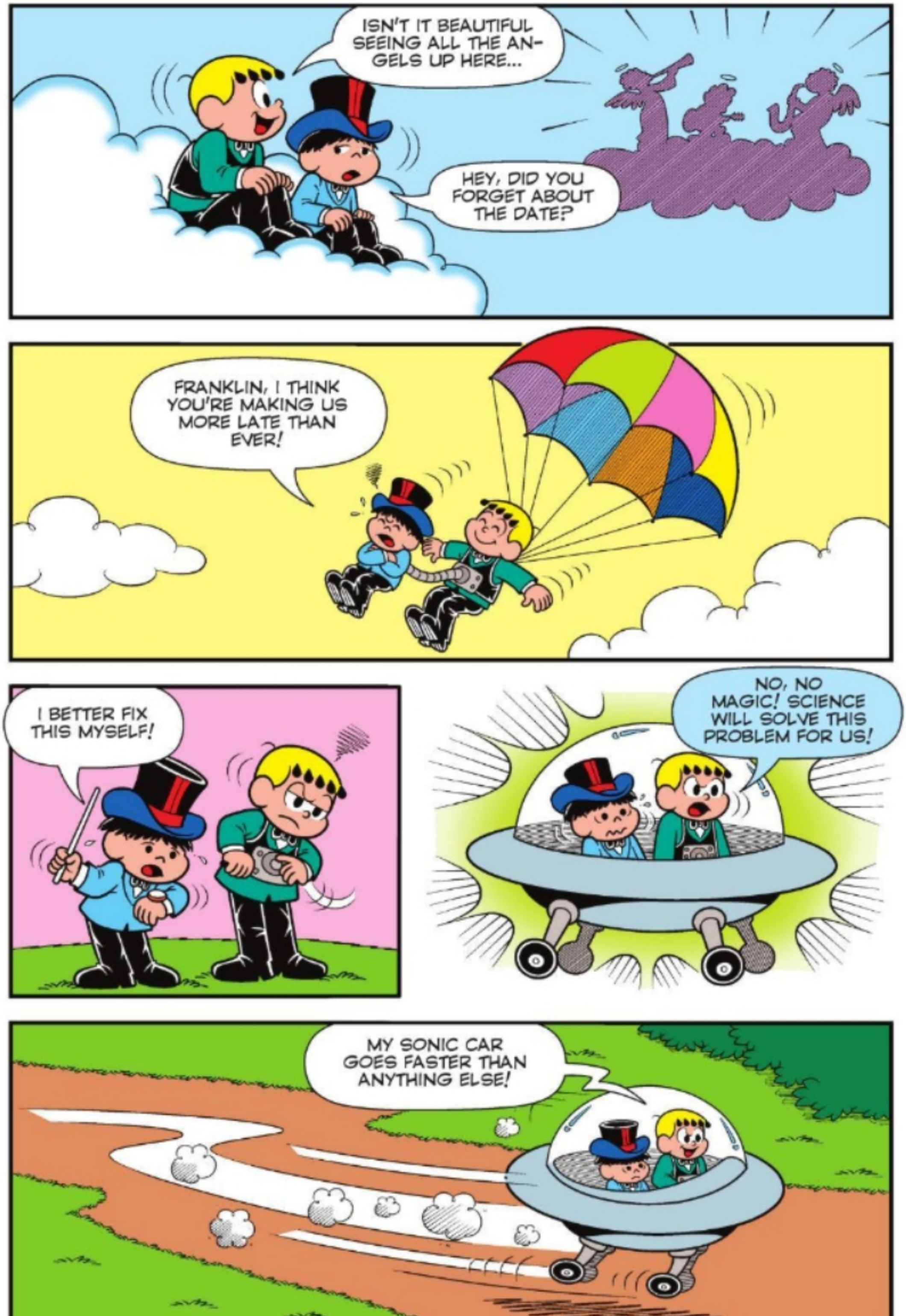
THEAT
PARK

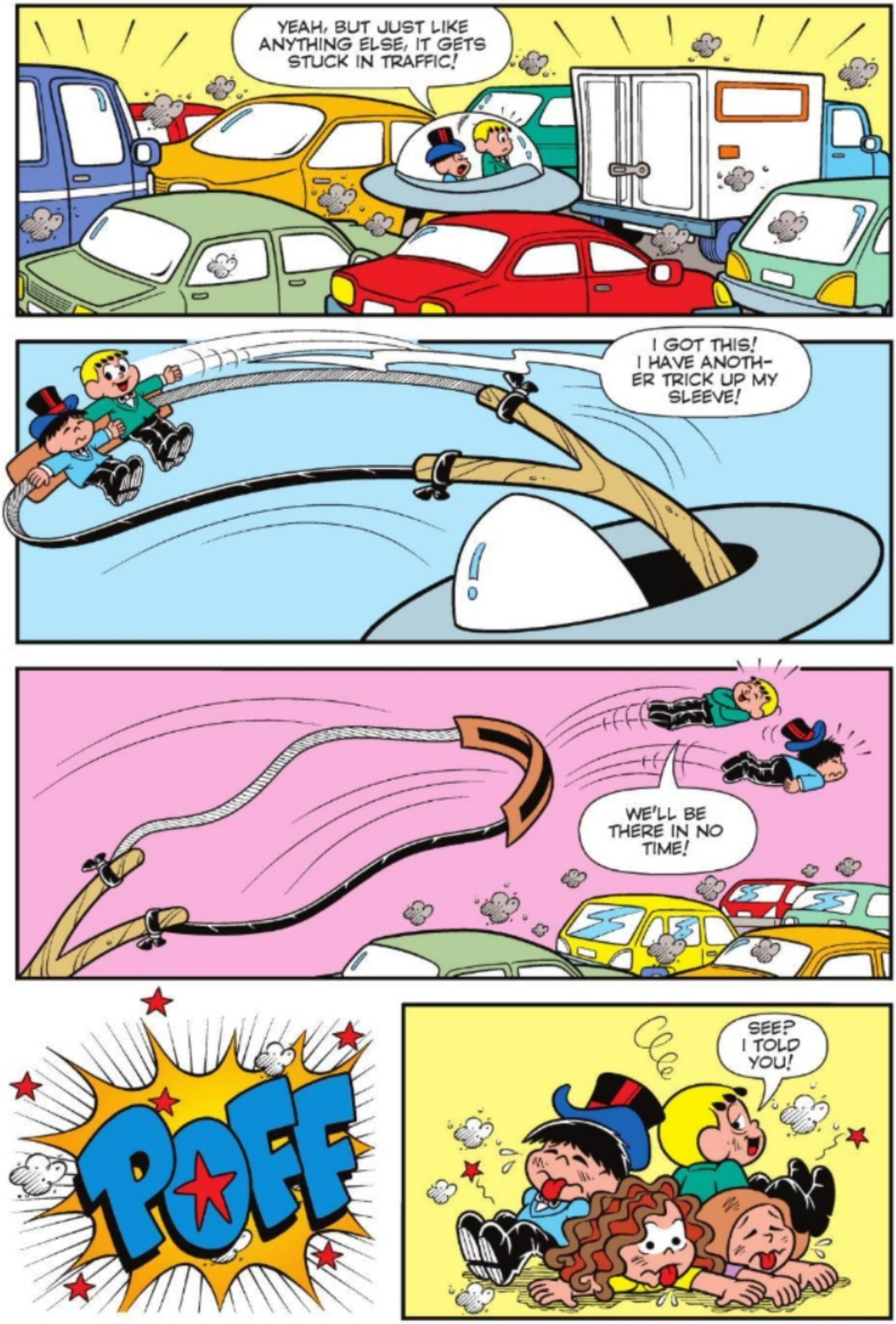
PARTY

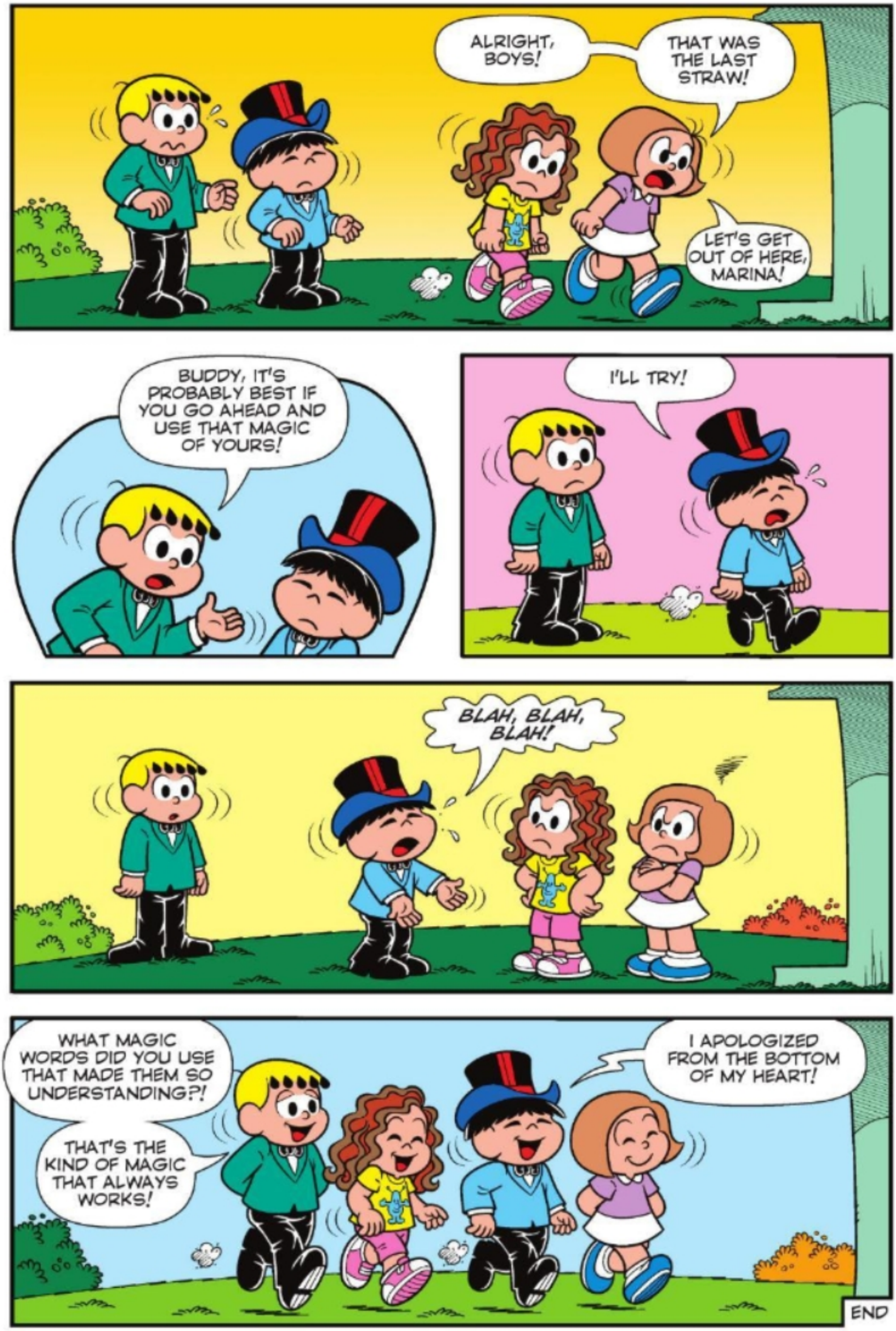

TOMORROW I'LL ANSWER THAT TEXT!
I'M TOO TIRED NOW, MY DAY WAS TOO FULL TODAY!
END

NOW, WHERE IS FRANKLIN? WE ARE GOING TO BE LATE!
WRITER: ROGÉRIO MASCARENHAS
PENCILS: OLGA M. OGASAWARA
FINISH: LILIAN A. ALMEIDA
WHAT IS THIS?!
I'M HERE!
FRANKLIN and NIMBUS in
CRAZY INVENTIONS AND MAGIC WORDS
THIS IS MY DATE OUTFIT! I MADE SOME UPGRADES FOR SITUA-TIONS LIKE THIS!
ALL I KNOW IS THAT WE ARE LATE FOR MOVIE NIGHT AT MARINA'S HOUSE! THE GIRLS ARE GOING TO BE SO MAD!

WE ARE NOT MOVING AS FAST AS WE SHOULD BE!
YOU COMPLAIN TOO MUCH!
I'LL TAKE THINGS *UP* A NOTCH! WHAT DO YOU THINK?!
I HAVE NO WORDS!
NOW, WE WILL GO MUCH FASTER!
ANGEL?!
BOYS... I BELIEVE YOU'RE FLYING A LITTLE TOO HIGH, AREN'T YOU?
I'M JUST PRACTICING WITH MY BAND UP HERE!


ISN'T IT BEAUTIFUL SEEING ALL THE AN-GELS UP HERE...
HEY, DID YOU FORGET ABOUT THE DATE?
FRANKLIN, I THINK YOU'RE MAKING US MORE LATE THAN EVER!
I BETTER FIX THIS MYSELF!
NO, NO MAGIC! SCIENCE WILL SOLVE THIS PROBLEM FOR US!
MY SONIC CAR GOES FASTER THAN ANYTHING ELSE!


YEAH, BUT JUST LIKE ANYTHING ELSE, IT GETS STUCK IN TRAFFIC!
I GOT THIS! I HAVE ANOTH-ER TRICK UP MY SLEEVE!
WE'LL BE THERE IN NO TIME!
POFF
SEE? I TOLD YOU!


ALRIGHT, BOYS!
THAT WAS THE LAST STRAW!
LET'S GET OUT OF HERE, MARINA!
BUDDY, IT'S PROBABLY BEST IF YOU GO AHEAD AND USE THAT MAGIC OF YOURS!
I'LL TRY!
BLAH, BLAH, BLAH!
WHAT MAGIC WORDS DID YOU USE THAT MADE THEM SO UNDERSTANDING?!
I APOLOGIZED FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART!
THAT'S THE KIND OF MAGIC THAT ALWAYS WORKS!
END

RUFUS, THE MEANEST DOG IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD?
MAURICIO
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ARF! ARF! ARF! ARF!

ARF!
ARF!
ARF!
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JUST DON'T GET USED TO IT, OKAY?!
END

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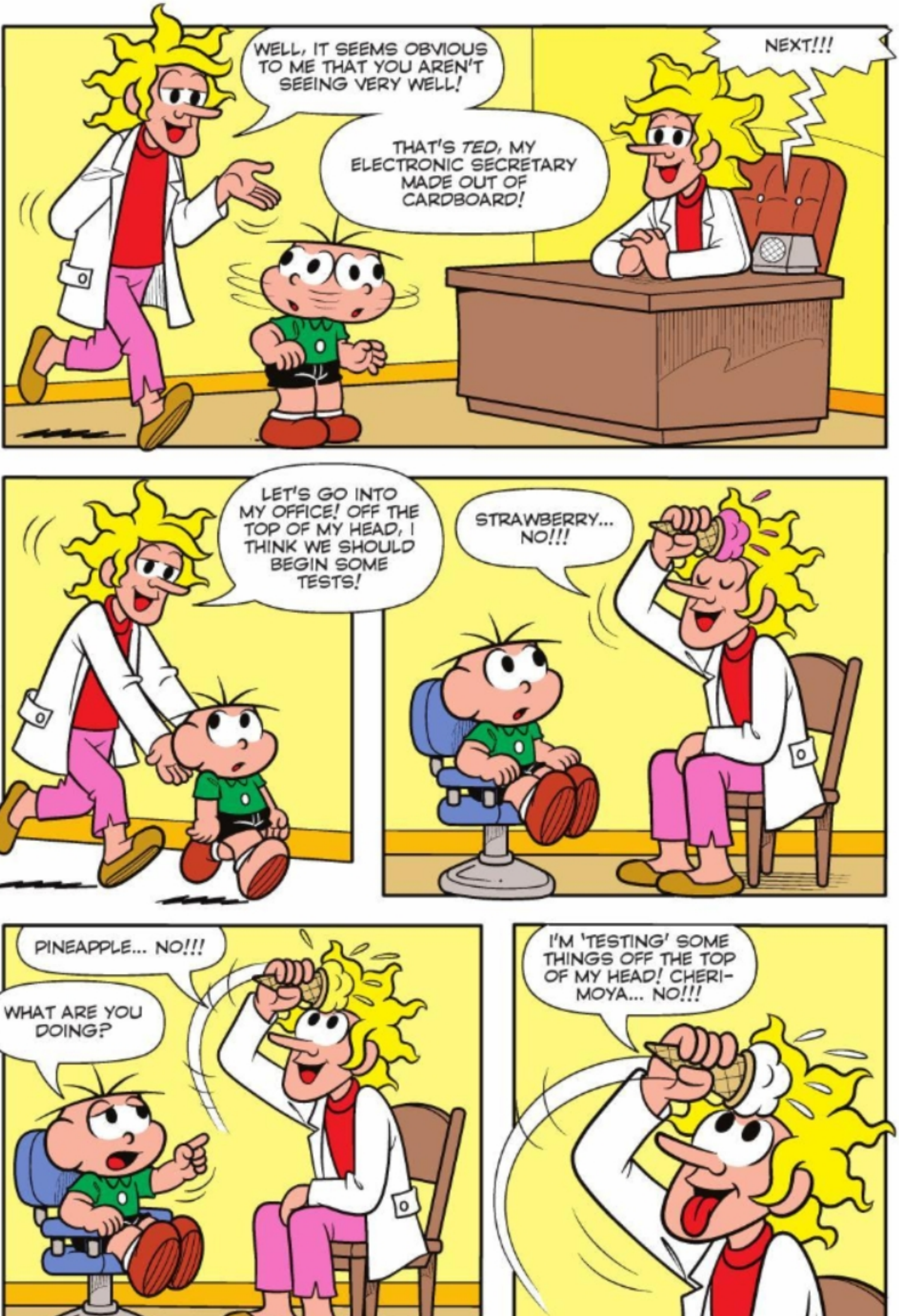
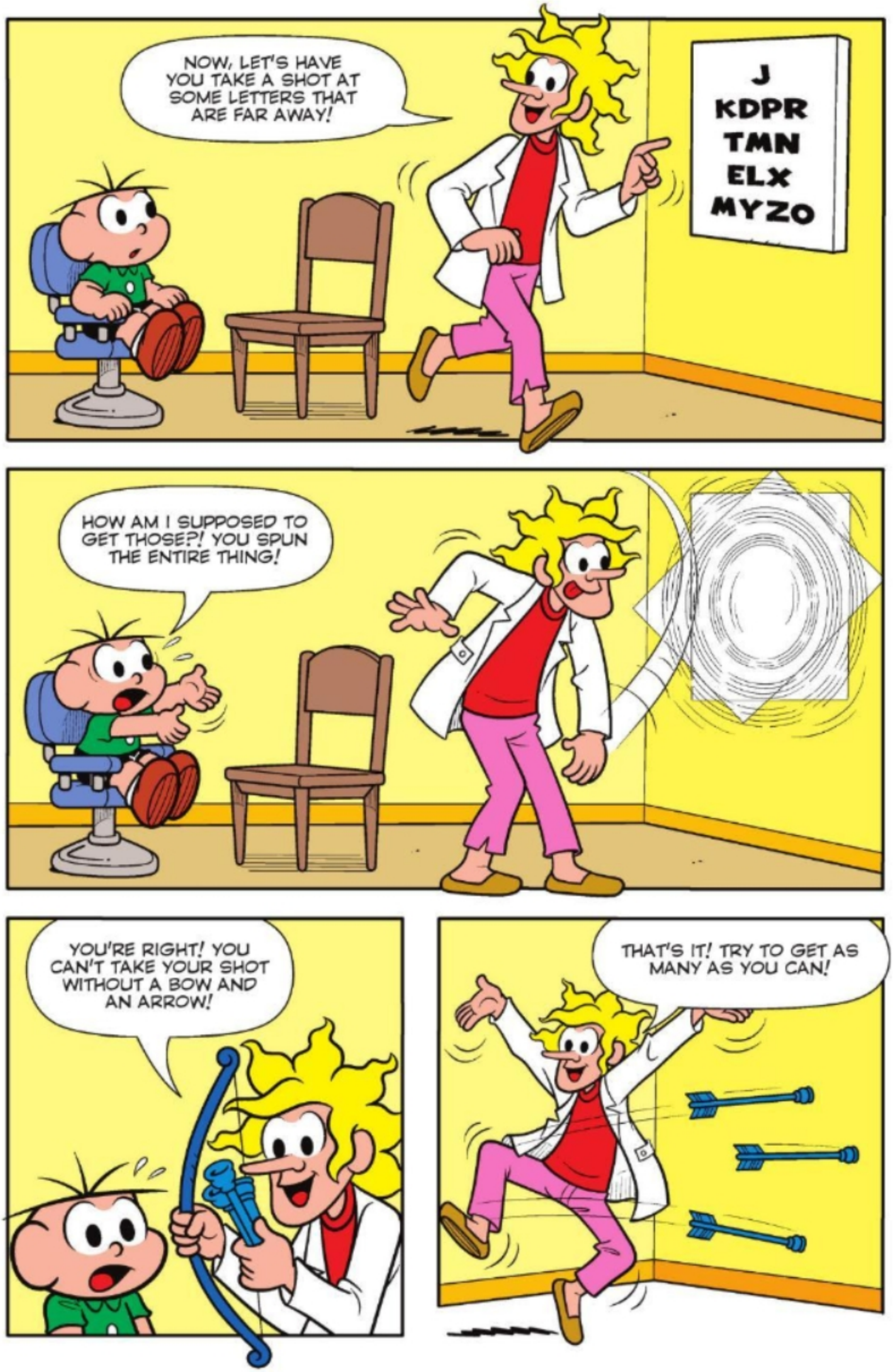
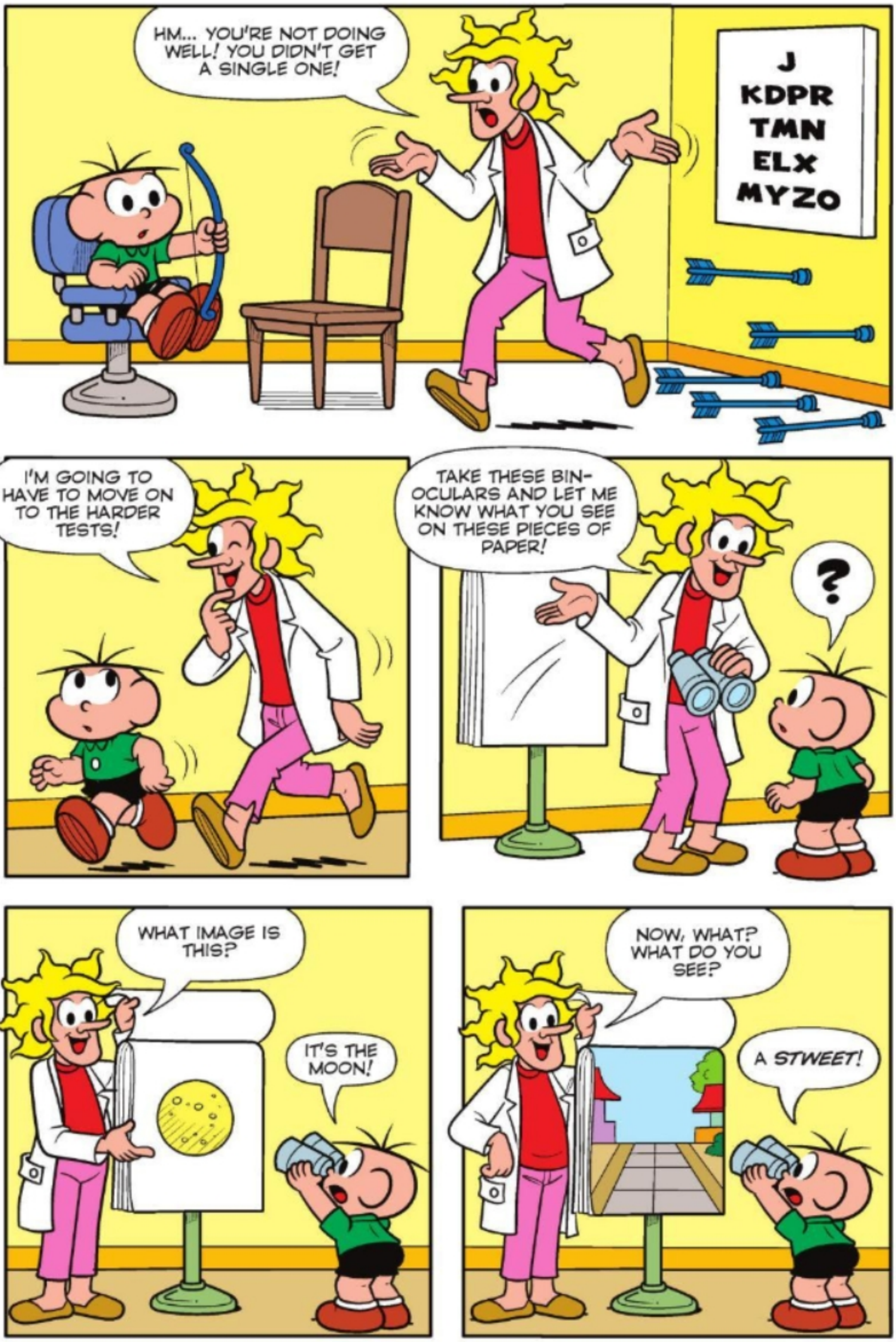
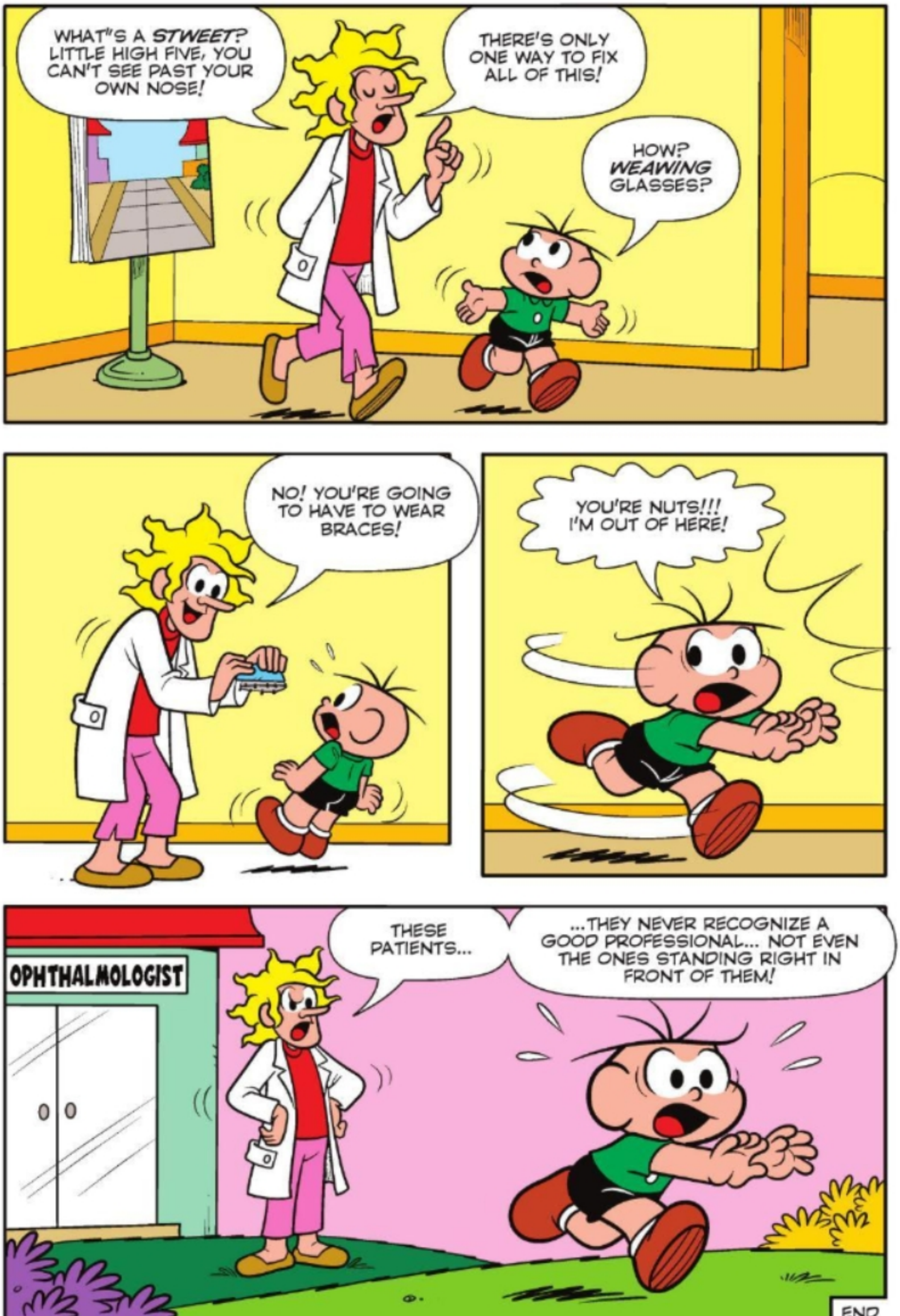
NUTTY OPHTHALMOLOGIST


WELL, IT SEEMS OBVIOUS TO ME THAT YOU AREN'T SEEING VERY WELL!
THAT'S TED, MY ELECTRONIC SECRETARY MADE OUT OF CARDBOARD!
NEXT!!!
LET'S GO INTO MY OFFICE! OFF THE TOP OF MY HEAD, I THINK WE SHOULD BEGIN SOME TESTS!
STRAWBERRY... NO!!!
PINEAPPLE... NO!!!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
I'M 'TESTING' SOME THINGS OFF THE TOP OF MY HEAD! CHERI-MOYA... NO!!!


NOW, LET'S HAVE YOU TAKE A SHOT AT SOME LETTERS THAT ARE FAR AWAY!
J
KDPR
TMN
ELX
MYZO
HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO GET THOSE?! YOU SPUN THE ENTIRE THING!
YOU'RE RIGHT! YOU CAN'T TAKE YOUR SHOT WITHOUT A BOW AND AN ARROW!
THAT'S IT! TRY TO GET AS MANY AS YOU CAN!


HM... YOU'RE NOT DOING WELL! YOU DIDN'T GET A SINGLE ONE!
J
KDPR
TMN
ELX
MYZO
I'M GOING TO HAVE TO MOVE ON TO THE HARDER TESTS!
TAKE THESE BIN-OCULARS AND LET ME KNOW WHAT YOU SEE ON THESE PIECES OF PAPER!
?
WHAT IMAGE IS THIS?
IT'S THE MOON!
NOW, WHAT? WHAT DO YOU SEE?
A *STWEET!*


WHAT'S A *STWEET*? LITTLE HIGH FIVE, YOU CAN'T SEE PAST YOUR OWN NOSE!
THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO FIX ALL OF THIS!
HOW? *WEAWING* GLASSES?
NO! YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO WEAR BRACES!
YOU'RE NUTS!!! I'M OUT OF HERE!
OPHTHALMOLOGIST
THESE PATIENTS...
...THEY NEVER RECOGNIZE A GOOD PROFESSIONAL... NOT EVEN THE ONES STANDING RIGHT IN FRONT OF THEM!
END

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